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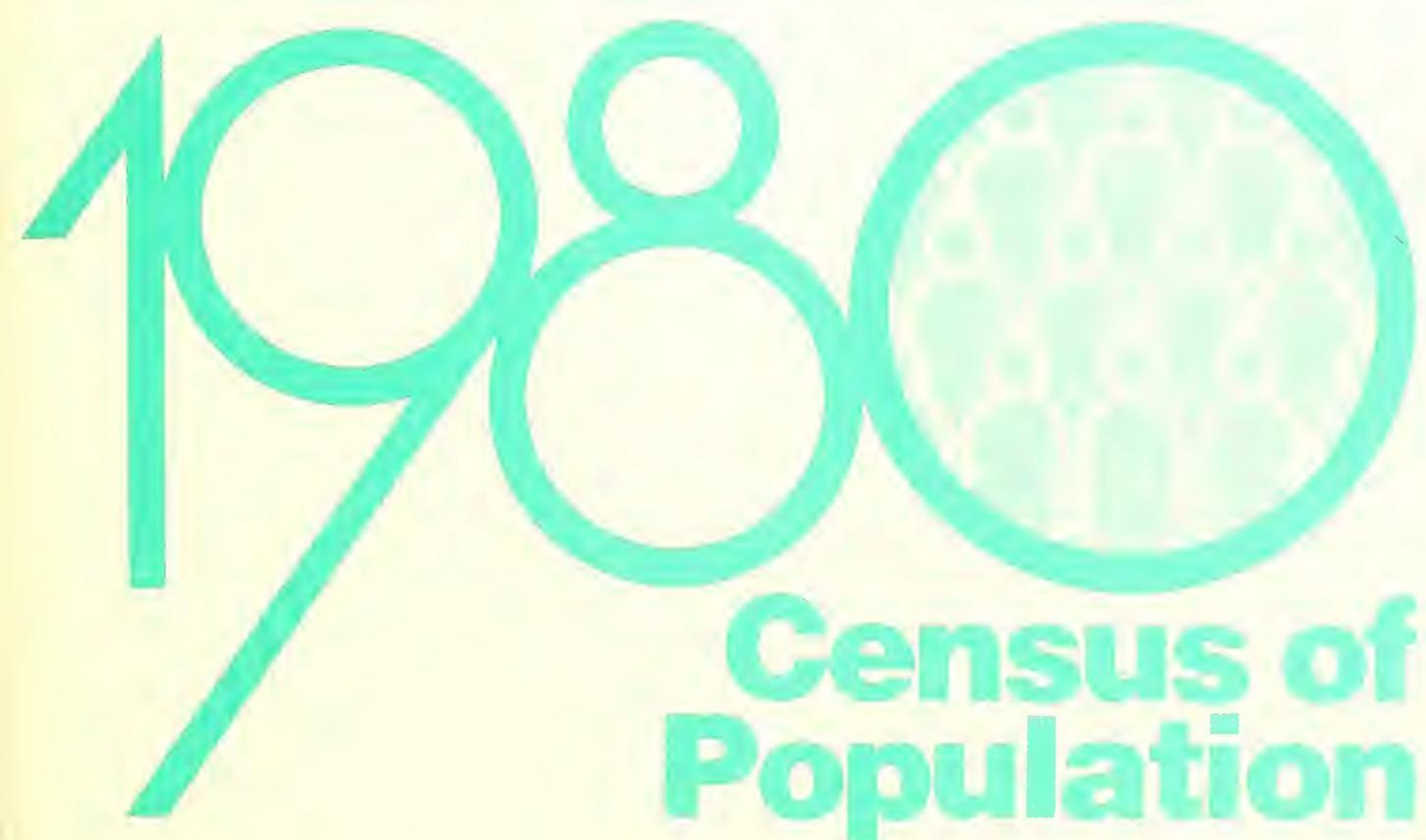




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# Introduction

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## GENERAL

This report presents statistics from the 1980 Census of Population on the number of inhabitants of the State, classified by urban and rural residence and by size of place; its counties or comparable areas, county subdivisions, incorporated places, census designated places, standard metropolitan statistical areas, standard consolidated statistical areas, and urbanized areas; and certain other geographic areas of the State. The abbreviated identification for this report is PC80-1-A (i.e., Population Census, 1980·Volume 1-Chapter A) followed by a number representing the State. Legal provision for this census, which was conducted as of April 1, 1980, was made in the Act of Congress of August 31, 1954 (amended August 1957, December 1975, and October 1976), which codified Title 13, United States Code.

A large portion of the information compiled from the 1980 Census of Population will appear in Volume 1, *Characteristics of the Population*, of which this report is part.

The 1980 census figures presented here may differ from those shown in the *Advance Reports*, PHC80-V, and in the Public Law 94-171 redistricting data products. The changes reflect corrections of errors found after the PHC80-V reports and P.L. 94-171 materials were prepared. The changes may affect any geographic area shown in this report.

The content and procedures of the 1980 census were determined after evaluation of the results of the 1970 census, consultation with a wide variety of users of census data, and extensive field testing. A number of changes were introduced in

1980 to improve the usefulness of the census results. The changes do not, however, affect to any appreciable extent the comparability between the 1980 data and the 1970 data shown in this report.

More detailed information on the technical and procedural matters covered in the text of this report can be obtained by writing to the Director, Bureau of the Census, Washington, D.C. 20233. Such information will also appear in other publications of the 1980 census.

## CONTENTS OF THE REPORT

This report contains text (this introduction and three appendixes), a table of contents, charts, 13 detailed tables, and maps. A map of the State appears after the table of contents and shows county names and boundaries, the names and boundaries of standard metropolitan statistical areas (SMSA's) and standard consolidated statistical areas (SCSA's), the names and locations of all places with a population of 25,000 or more, and SMSA central cities with fewer than 25,000 inhabitants. Then follow two pages of charts that precede the 13 tables. Each table is identified by a table number and title. The "stubhead" at the left under the title defines the types of geographic areas for which data are shown in the particular table and is considered part of the table title.

The tables are followed by a map section which includes:

- A "County Location Index" which presents the reference coordinates and map section numbers for each county on the county subdivision map, the legend to the county subdivision map, and a State map outlining the geographic area covered by each county subdivision map section.
- A county subdivision map, often covering several pages, that shows the names and boundaries of counties

(or equivalent areas), their subdivisions, and places, as recognized by the Census Bureau in the published tables.

- One map for each urbanized area in the State which shows the names and boundaries of all States, counties, county subdivisions, and places in the area, as well as the extent of territory defined as "urbanized." The report for each State containing part of a multi-State urbanized area includes the map for the entire urbanized area.

Appearing last in the report are the appendixes. Appendix A describes the various area classifications (e.g., urban and rural residence, census designated places, urbanized areas). Appendix B explains the residence rules used in counting the population and describes the data collection and processing procedures. Appendix C presents information on the sources of error in the data.

## SYMBOLS AND GEOGRAPHIC ABBREVIATIONS

The following symbols and geographic abbreviations are used in the tables.

- A dash "--" represents zero or a percent which rounds to less than 0.1.
- Three dots "... mean not applicable.
- (NA) means not available.
- A minus sign preceding a figure denotes decrease.
- The prefix "r" indicates that the count has been revised since publication of 1970 census reports, or that the area was erroneously omitted, or that the area was not shown in the correct geographic relationship in the 1970 census reports.
- CDP is census designated place.
- SCSA is standard consolidated statistical area.
- SMSA is standard metropolitan statistical area.
- (unorg.) is unorganized territory.



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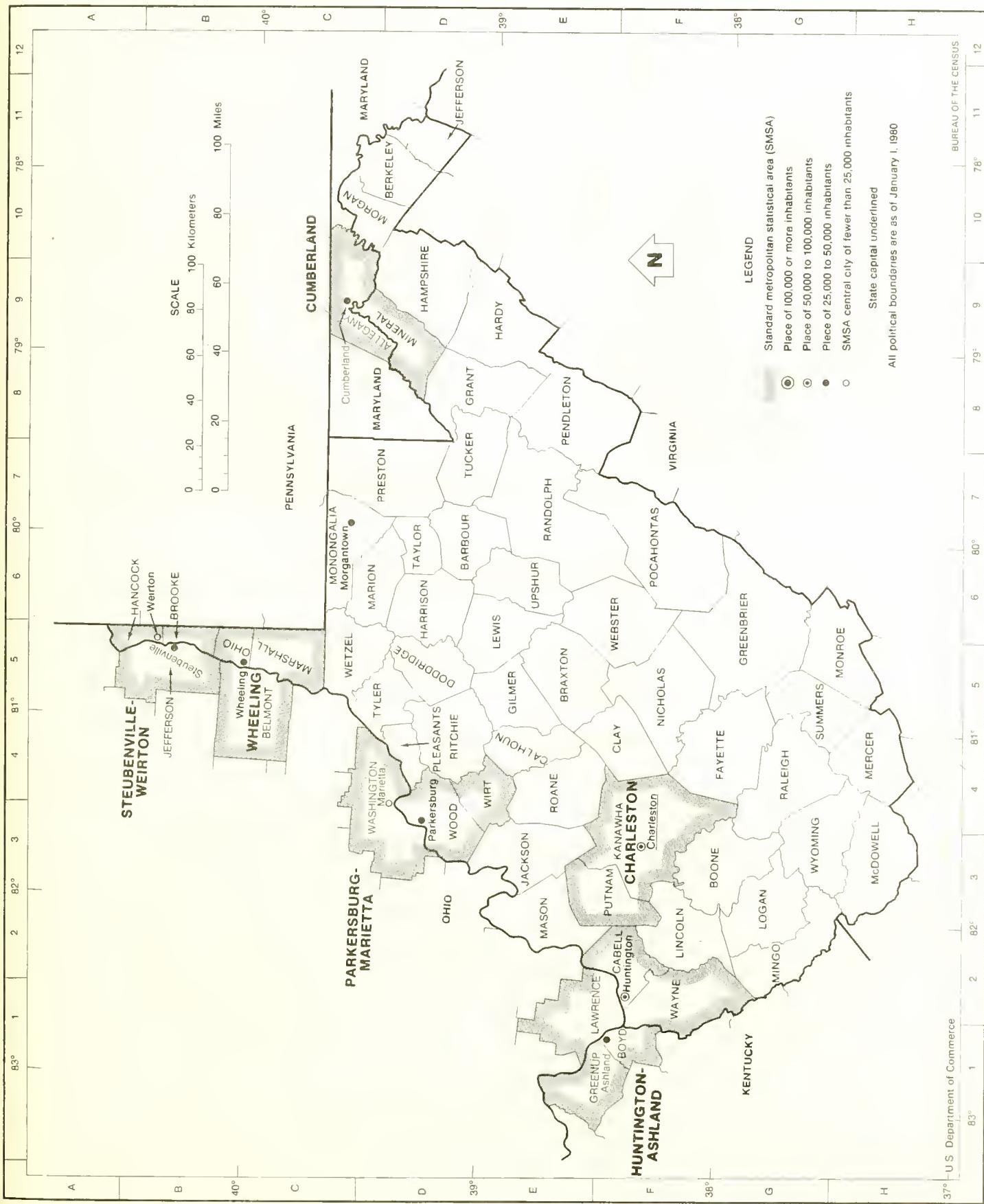
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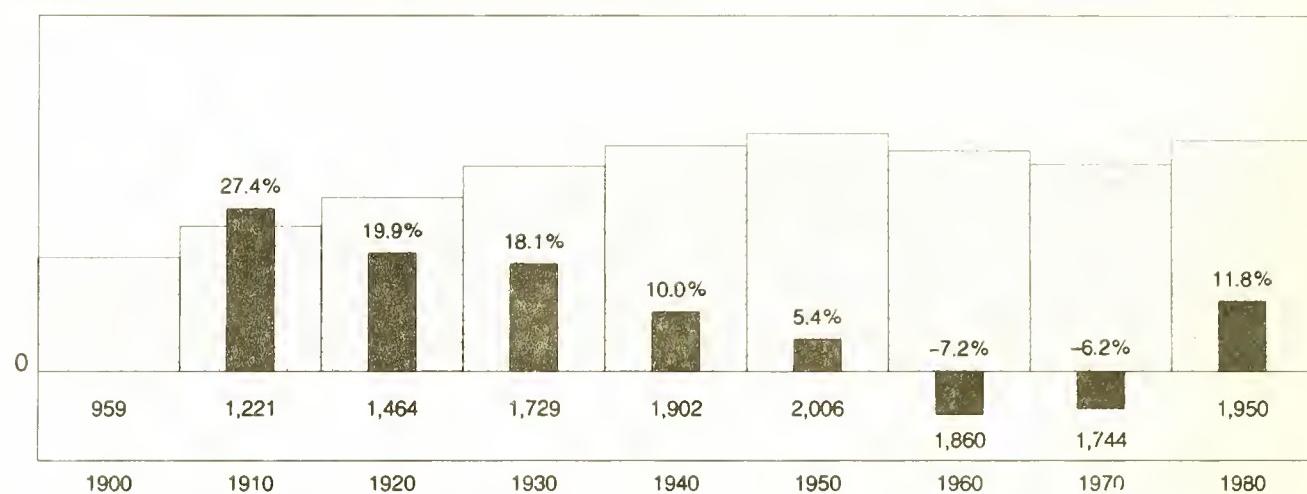


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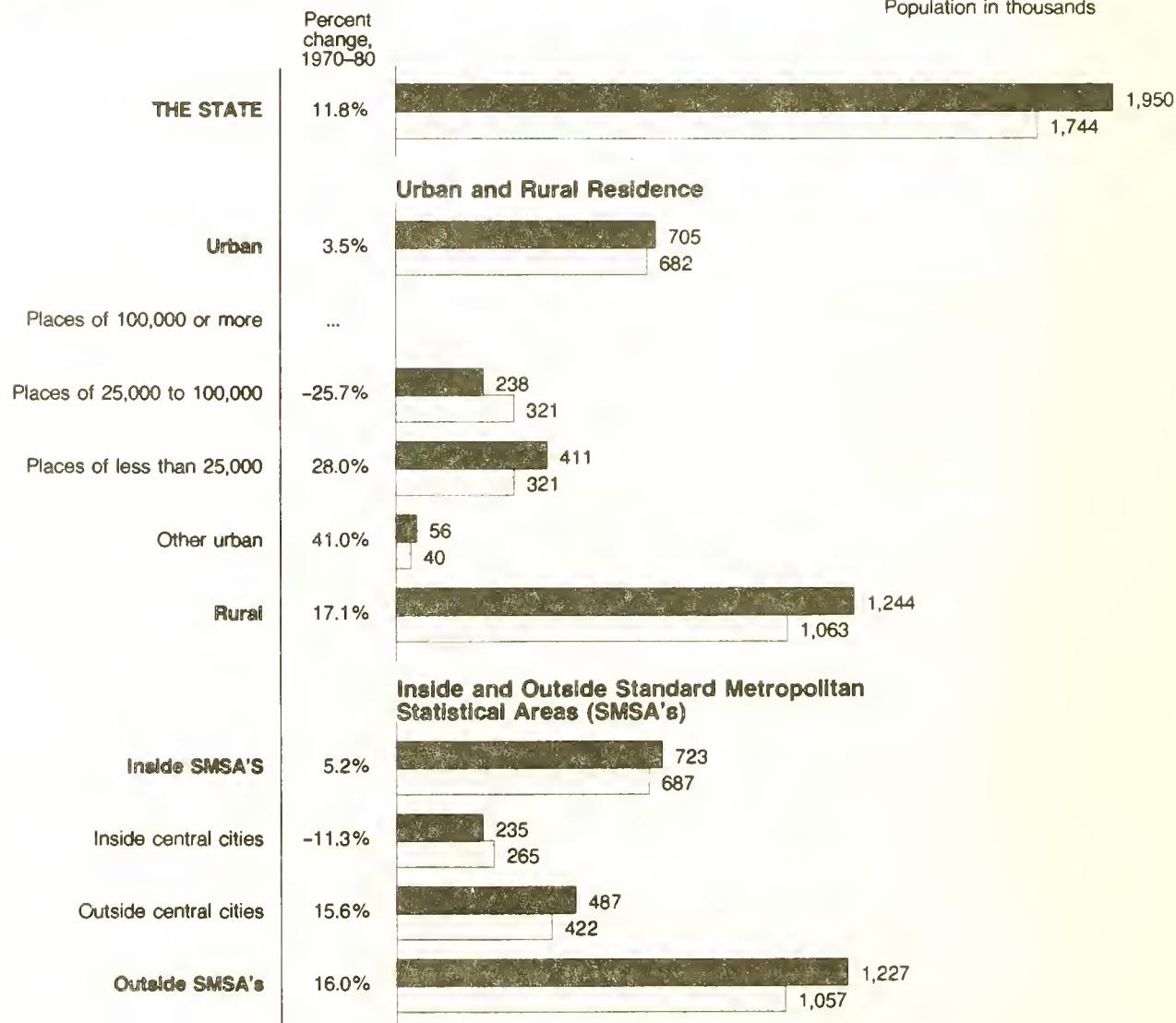
Percent change  
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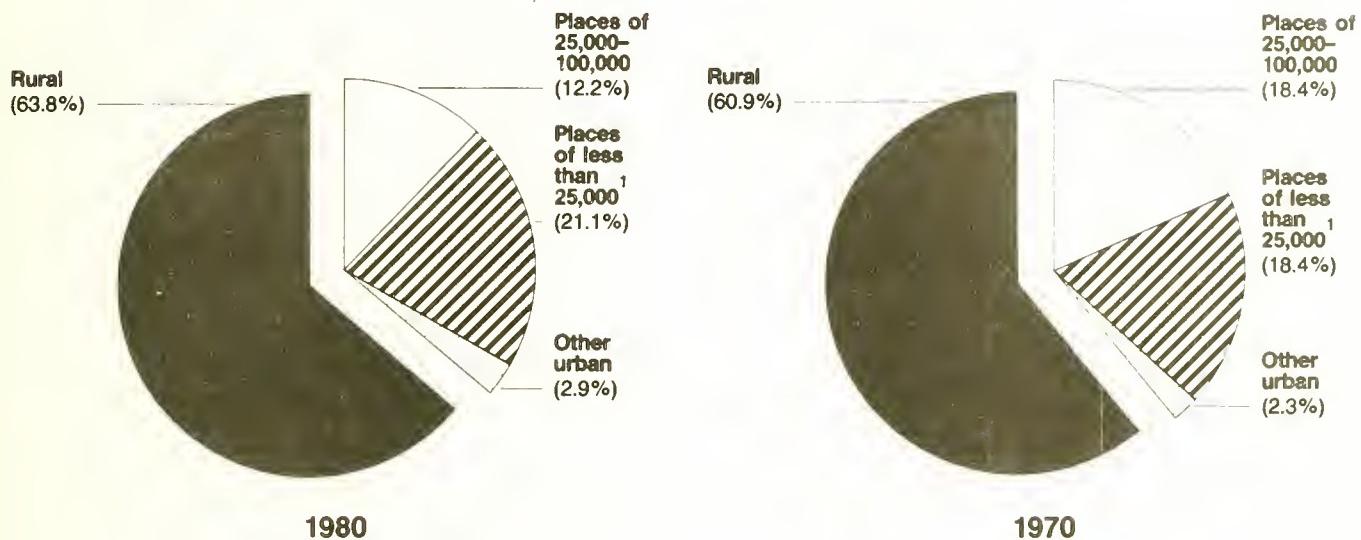
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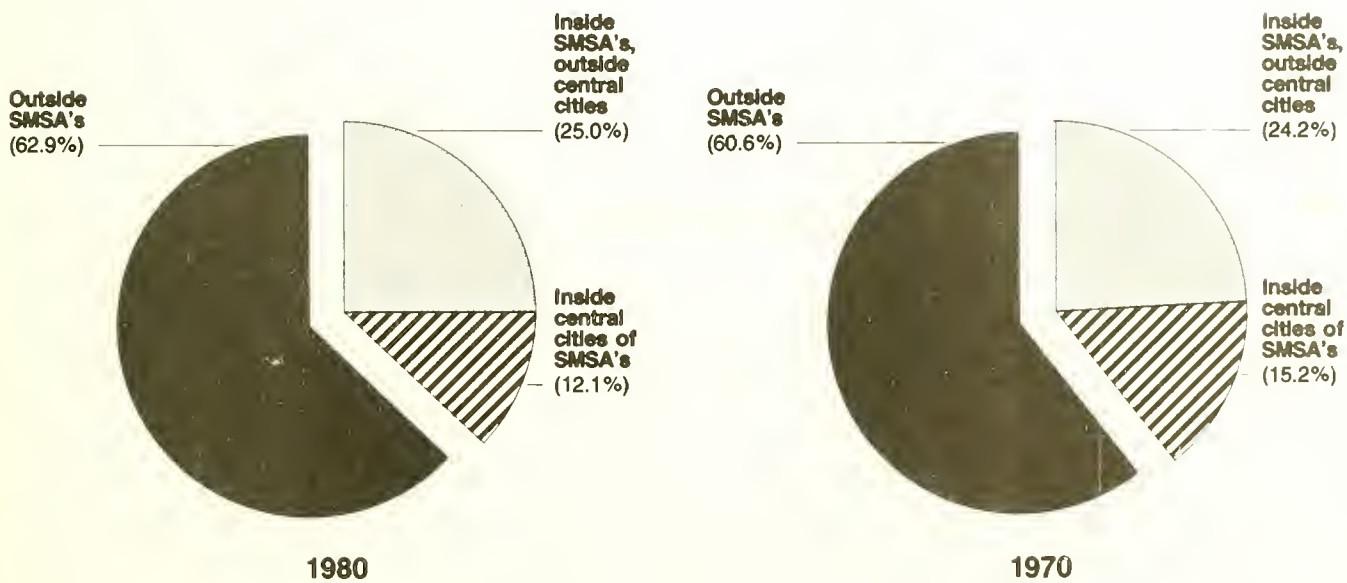
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**A. URBAN AND RURAL RESIDENCE**



<sup>1</sup>Excludes population of places in rural territory.

**B. INSIDE AND OUTSIDE STANDARD METROPOLITAN STATISTICAL AREAS (SMSA'S)**



## CORRECTION NOTE

Shown below are corrections to the 1980 census counts of the total population made after the tabulations for this report were completed. Any additional corrections made after this report is printed are available by writing to Data User Services Division, Customer Services (Corrections), Bureau of the Census, Washington, D.C. 20233.

The 1980 figures shown in this publication are subject to change pending the outcome of the various lawsuits dealing with the census counts.

1980 population

	<u>As shown in the tables</u>	<u>Corrected</u>
The State.....	1 949 644	1 950 279
Hancock County.....	40 418	41 053
Clay district.....	10 098	10 733
Weirton city (pt.).....	4 837	5 472
Harrison County:		
Northern district.....	14 504	14 370
Southeast district.....	13 820	13 986
Anmoore town (pt.).....	678	710
Suburban district.....	11 623	11 591
Anmore town (pt.).....	187	155
McDowell County:		
North Fork district:		
Northfork town (pt.).....	660	1 105
Ohio County:		
Richie Webster Center district:		
Bethlehem village.....	2 677	3 045
Anmoore town (total).....	865	(1)
Northfork town (total).....	660	1 105
Weirton city (total).....	24 736	25 371

<sup>1</sup>No change.

Table 1. Population of the State: Earliest Census to 1980

[For description of current and previous urban definitions, see appendix A. For meaning of symbols, see Introduction.]

**Urban and Rural**

Urban and Rural	The State			Urban			Rural			Percent of total population		
	Total population	Change from preceding census		Places of 2,500 or more	Change from preceding census		Population	Change from preceding census				
		Number	Percent		Population	Number		Number	Percent	Urban	Rural	
<b>Current urban definition</b>												
1980 (Apr 1) -----	1 949 644	205 407	11.8	64	705 319	23 764	3.5	1 244 325	181 643	17.1	36.2	63.8
1970 (Apr 1) -----	1 744 237	-116 184	-6.2	53	681 555	-29 546	-4.2	1 062 682	-86 638	-7.5	39.1	60.9
1960 (Apr 1) -----	1 860 421	-145 131	-7.2	56	711 101	16 614	2.4	1 149 320	-161 745	-12.3	38.2	61.8
1950 (Apr 1) -----	2 005 552	103 578	5.4	61	694 487	... ..	..	1 311 065	...	..	34.6	65.4
<b>Previous urban definition</b>												
1960 (Apr 1) -----	1 860 421	-145 131	-7.2	54	665 504	24 898	3.9	1 194 917	-170 029	-12.5	35.8	64.2
1950 (Apr 1) -----	2 005 552	103 578	5.4	54	640 606	106 314	19.9	1 364 946	-2 736	-0.2	31.9	68.1
1940 (Apr 1) -----	1 901 974	172 769	10.0	45	534 292	42 788	8.7	1 367 682	129 981	10.5	28.1	71.9
1930 (Apr 1) -----	1 729 205	265 504	18.1	39	491 504	122 497	33.2	1 237 701	143 007	13.1	28.4	71.6
1920 (Jan 1) -----	1 463 701	242 582	19.9	35	369 007	140 765	61.7	1 094 694	101 817	10.3	25.2	74.8
1910 (Apr 15) -----	1 221 119	262 319	27.4	25	228 242	102 777	81.9	992 877	159 542	19.1	18.7	81.3
1900 (June 1) -----	958 800	196 006	25.7	16	125 465	44 100	54.2	833 335	151 906	22.3	13.1	86.9
1890 (June 1) -----	762 794	144 337	23.3	10	81 365	27 315	50.5	681 429	117 022	20.7	10.7	89.3
1880 (June 1) -----	618 457	176 443	39.9	6	54 050	18 041	50.1	564 407	158 402	39.0	8.7	91.3
1870 (June 1) -----	442 014	65 326	17.3	5	36 009	15 932	79.4	406 005	49 394	13.9	8.1	91.9
1860 (June 1) -----	376 688	74 375	24.6	3	20 077	8 642	75.6	356 611	65 733	22.6	5.3	94.7
1850 (June 1) -----	302 313	77 776	34.6	1	11 435	3 550	45.0	290 878	74 226	34.3	3.8	96.2
1840 (June 1) -----	224 537	47 613	26.9	1	7 885	7 885	...	216 652	39 728	22.5	3.5	96.5
1830 (June 1) -----	176 924	40 116	29.3	-	-	-	-	176 924	40 116	29.3	-	100.0
1820 (Aug 7) -----	136 808	31 339	29.7	-	-	-	-	136 808	31 339	29.7	-	100.0
1810 (Aug 6) -----	105 469	26 877	34.2	-	-	-	-	105 469	26 877	34.2	-	100.0
1800 (Aug 4) -----	78 592	22 719	40.7	-	-	-	-	78 592	22 719	40.7	-	100.0
1790 (Aug 2) -----	55 873	...	...	-	-	...	...	55 873	...	...	-	100.0

NOTE 1790 to 1860 populations are of those parts of Virginia taken in 1863 and 1866 to form West Virginia

Table 2. Land Area and Population: 1930 to 1980

(Counts relate to counties as defined at each census. For meaning of symbols, see Introduction.)

Counties	1980 land area		Population									
	Square miles	Square kilometers	1980			Percent change		Population				
			Number	Per square mile	Per square kilometer	1970 to 1980	1960 to 1970	1970	1960	1950	1940	1930
The State	24 119	62 468	1 949 644	80 8	31 2	11 8	-6 2	1 744 237	1 860 421	2 005 552	1 901 974	1 729 205
Barbour	343	888	16 639	48 5	18 7	18 6	-9 3	14 030	15 474	19 745	19 869	18 628
Berkeley	322	833	46 775	145 3	56 2	28 7	7 6	36 356	33 791	30 359	29 016	28 030
Boone	503	1 303	30 447	60 5	23 4	21 2	-12 7	25 118	28 764	33 173	28 556	24 586
Braxton	513	1 328	13 894	27 1	10 5	9 7	-16 4	12 666	15 152	18 082	21 658	22 579
Brooke	90	233	31 117	345 7	133 5	2 2	5 2	'30 443	28 940	26 904	25 513	24 663
Cabell	282	731	106 835	378 8	146 1	-0 1	-1 2	106 918	108 202	108 035	97 459	90 786
Calhoun	280	726	8 250	29 5	11 4	17 1	-11 3	7 046	7 948	10 259	12 455	10 866
Clay	346	897	11 265	32 6	12 6	20 7	-21 9	9 330	11 942	14 961	15 206	13 125
Doddridge	321	831	7 433	23 2	8 9	16 3	-8 3	6 389	6 970	9 026	10 923	10 488
Fayette	667	1 727	57 863	86 8	33 5	17 3	-20 1	49 332	61 731	82 443	80 628	72 050
Gilmer	340	880	8 334	24 5	9 5	7 1	-3 3	7 782	8 050	9 746	12 046	10 641
Grant	480	1 244	10 210	21 3	8 2	18 6	3 6	8 607	8 304	8 756	8 805	8 441
Greenbrier	1 025	2 654	37 665	36 7	14 2	17 4	-6 8	32 090	34 446	39 295	38 520	35 878
Hampshire	644	1 669	14 867	23 1	8 9	27 0	-	11 710	11 705	12 577	12 974	11 836
Hancock	85	219	40 418	475 5	184 6	1 7	0 3	39 749	39 615	34 388	31 572	28 511
Hardy	585	1 514	10 030	17 1	6 6	13 3	-4 9	8 855	9 308	10 032	10 813	9 816
Harrison	417	1 079	77 710	186 4	72 0	6 4	-6 2	73 028	77 856	85 296	82 911	78 567
Jackson	464	1 202	25 794	55 6	21 5	23 4	12 7	20 903	18 541	15 299	16 598	16 124
Jefferson	209	542	30 302	145 0	55 9	42 4	14 0	21 280	18 665	17 184	16 762	15 780
Kanawha	901	2 334	231 414	256 8	99 1	0 8	-9 3	229 515	252 925	239 629	195 619	157 667
Lewis	389	1 007	18 813	48 4	18 7	5 4	-9 5	17 847	19 711	21 074	22 271	21 794
Lincoln	439	1 137	23 675	53 9	20 8	25 2	-6 7	18 912	20 267	22 466	22 886	19 156
Logan	456	1 180	50 679	111 1	42 9	9 5	-24 9	46 269	61 570	77 391	67 768	58 534
McDowell	535	1 386	49 899	93 3	36 0	-1 5	-29 0	50 666	71 359	98 887	94 354	90 479
Marion	312	807	65 789	210 9	81 5	7 2	-3 7	61 356	63 717	71 521	68 683	66 655
Marshall	305	791	41 608	136 4	52 6	10 7	-1 2	37 598	38 041	36 893	40 189	39 831
Mason	433	1 121	27 045	62 5	24 1	11 3	-0 6	24 306	24 459	23 537	22 270	20 788
Mercer	420	1 089	73 942	176 1	67 9	17 0	-7 3	63 206	68 206	75 013	68 289	61 323
Mineral	329	853	27 234	82 8	31 9	17 9	3 4	23 109	22 354	22 333	22 215	20 084
Mingo	424	1 098	37 336	88 1	34 0	13 9	-17 5	32 780	39 742	47 409	40 802	38 319
Monongalia	363	939	75 024	206 7	79 9	17 8	14 6	63 714	55 617	60 797	51 252	50 083
Monroe	473	1 226	12 873	27 2	10 5	14 2	-2 7	11 272	11 584	13 123	13 577	11 949
Morgan	230	595	10 711	46 6	18 0	25 3	2 0	8 547	8 376	8 276	8 743	8 406
Nicholas	650	1 683	28 126	43 3	16 7	24 7	-11 3	22 552	25 414	27 696	24 070	20 686
Ohio	106	274	61 389	579 1	224 0	-3 2	-7 3	'63 439	68 437	71 672	73 115	72 077
Pendleton	698	1 808	7 910	11 3	4 4	12 5	-13 1	7 031	8 093	9 313	10 884	9 660
Pleasants	131	339	8 236	62 9	24 3	13 2	2 1	7 274	7 124	6 369	6 692	6 545
Pocahontas	942	2 439	9 919	10 5	4 1	11 8	-12 5	8 870	10 136	12 480	13 906	14 555
Preston	651	1 686	30 460	46 8	18 1	19 7	-6 5	25 455	27 233	31 399	30 416	29 043
Putnam	346	897	38 181	110 3	42 6	38 2	17 2	27 625	23 561	21 021	19 511	16 737
Raleigh	608	1 575	86 821	142 8	55 1	23 9	-10 0	70 080	77 826	96 273	86 687	68 072
Randolph	1 040	2 694	28 734	27 6	10 7	16 8	-6 7	24 596	26 349	30 558	30 259	25 049
Ritchie	454	1 175	11 442	25 2	9 7	12 8	-6 7	10 145	10 877	12 535	15 389	15 594
Roane	484	1 253	15 952	33 0	12 7	13 0	-10 2	14 111	15 720	18 408	20 787	19 478
Summers	353	915	15 875	45 0	17 3	20 1	-15 5	13 213	15 640	19 183	20 409	20 468
Taylor	174	450	16 584	95 3	36 9	19 5	-7 5	13 878	15 010	18 422	19 919	19 114
Tucker	421	1 090	8 675	20 6	8 0	16 5	-3 9	7 447	7 750	10 600	13 173	13 374
Tyler	258	667	11 320	43 9	17 0	14 0	-1 0	9 929	10 026	10 535	12 559	12 785
Upshur	355	919	23 427	66 0	25 5	22 7	4 4	19 092	18 292	19 242	18 360	17 944
Wayne	508	1 315	46 021	90 6	35 0	22 5	-3 6	37 581	38 977	38 696	35 566	31 206
Webster	556	1 440	12 245	22 0	8 5	24 8	-28 5	9 809	13 719	17 888	18 080	14 216
Wetzel	359	929	21 874	60 9	23 5	7 7	5 0	20 314	19 347	20 154	22 342	22 334
Wirt	235	609	4 922	20 9	8 1	18 5	-5 4	4 154	4 391	5 119	6 475	6 358
Wood	368	952	93 648	254 5	98 4	7 9	10 8	86 818	78 331	66 540	62 399	56 521
Wyoming	502	1 300	35 993	71 7	27 7	19 6	-13 6	30 095	34 836	37 540	29 774	20 926

Table 3. Population of Counties by Urban and Rural Residence: 1980 and 1970

(Counts relate to counties as defined at each census. For meaning of symbols, see Introduction.)

Counties	Urban						Rural						Percent change 1970 to 1980	
	1980			1970			1980			Other rural				
	Total	Percent of total population	Inside urbanized areas				Total	Places of 1,000 to 2,500	Places of less than 1,000					
	The State	705 319	36.2	403 378	301 941	681 555	3.5	1 244 325	141 849	56 658	1 045 818	1 062 682	17.1	
Barbour	3 194	19.2	—	3 194	3 002	6.4	13 445	2 038	591	10 816	11 028	21.9		
Berkeley	13 063	27.9	—	13 063	14 626	-10.7	33 712	1 159	217	32 336	21 730	55.1		
Boone	3 228	10.6	—	3 228	—	—	27 219	—	1 672	25 547	25 118	8.4		
Braxton	—	—	—	—	—	—	13 894	2 417	936	10 541	12 666	9.7		
Brooke	15 827	50.9	11 864	3 963	14 780	7.1	15 290	1 336	507	13 447	14 905	2.6		
Campbell	74 909	70.1	72 245	2 664	71 693	4.5	31 926	2 178	—	29 748	35 225	-9.4		
Catharine	—	—	—	—	—	—	8 250	—	788	7 462	7 046	17.1		
Clay	—	—	—	—	—	—	11 265	—	940	10 325	9 330	20.7		
Doddridge	—	—	—	—	—	—	7 433	1 090	—	6 343	6 389	16.3		
Fayette	9 338	16.1	—	9 338	6 524	43.1	48 525	11 214	871	36 440	42 808	13.4		
Gilmer	—	—	—	—	—	—	8 334	2 155	280	5 899	7 782	7.1		
Grant	—	—	—	—	—	—	10 210	2 084	540	7 586	8 607	18.6		
Greenbrier	6 436	17.1	—	6 436	—	—	31 229	8 577	700	21 952	32 090	-2.7		
Hampshire	—	—	—	—	—	—	14 867	2 094	191	12 582	11 710	27.0		
Hancock	24 153	59.8	20 856	3 297	26 064	-7.3	16 265	3 784	—	12 481	13 685	18.9		
Hardy	—	—	—	—	—	—	10 030	2 257	241	7 532	8 855	13.3		
Harrison	34 740	44.7	—	34 740	34 814	-0.2	42 970	7 902	2 918	32 150	38 214	12.4		
Jackson	7 590	29.4	—	7 590	7 484	1.4	18 204	—	—	18 204	13 419	35.7		
Jefferson	2 857	9.4	—	2 857	3 023	-5.5	27 445	4 262	1 033	22 150	18 257	50.3		
Kanawha	155 112	67.0	151 451	3 661	157 085	-1.3	76 302	4 956	1 454	69 892	72 430	5.3		
Lewis	6 250	33.2	—	6 250	7 323	-14.7	12 563	—	406	12 157	10 524	19.4		
Lincoln	—	—	—	—	—	—	23 675	1 219	643	21 813	18 912	25.2		
Logan	7 395	14.6	—	7 395	7 154	3.4	43 284	9 623	972	32 689	39 115	10.7		
McDowell	3 885	7.8	—	3 885	4 149	-6.4	46 014	5 393	4 800	35 821	46 517	-1.1		
Morgan	26 899	40.9	—	26 899	28 840	-6.7	38 890	4 274	2 658	31 958	32 516	19.6		
Marshall	21 564	51.8	21 564	—	19 204	12.3	20 044	1 474	—	18 570	18 394	9.0		
Mason	5 682	21.0	—	5 682	6 122	-7.2	21 363	3 155	1 388	16 820	18 184	17.5		
Mercer	26 305	35.6	—	26 305	23 174	13.5	47 637	2 691	1 810	43 136	40 032	19.0		
Mineral	9 829	36.1	3 260	6 569	6 586	49.2	17 405	2 696	291	14 418	16 523	5.3		
Mingo	5 219	14.0	—	5 219	5 831	-10.5	32 117	1 383	3 265	27 469	26 949	19.2		
Monongalia	32 489	43.3	—	32 489	34 517	-5.9	42 535	3 125	1 525	37 885	29 197	45.7		
Monroe	—	—	—	—	—	—	12 673	257	1 391	11 225	11 272	14.2		
Morgan	—	—	—	—	—	—	10 711	—	1 433	9 278	8 547	25.3		
Nicholas	6 540	23.3	—	6 540	3 717	75.9	21 586	1 562	—	20 024	18 835	14.6		
Ohio	50 031	81.5	50 031	—	55 061	-9.1	11 358	—	1 341	10 017	9 136	24.3		
Pendleton	—	—	—	—	—	—	7 910	—	780	7 130	7 031	12.5		
Pleasant	—	—	—	—	—	—	8 236	2 219	887	5 130	7 274	13.2		
Pocahontas	—	—	—	—	—	—	9 919	1 352	803	7 764	8 870	11.8		
Preston	2 877	9.4	—	2 877	2 550	12.8	27 583	4 061	3 203	20 319	22 905	20.4		
Putnam	6 185	16.2	2 167	4 018	4 807	28.7	31 996	3 458	857	27 681	22 818	40.2		
Raleigh	23 829	27.4	—	23 829	19 884	19.8	62 992	19 600	1 098	42 294	50 196	25.5		
Randolph	8 536	29.7	—	8 536	8 287	3.0	20 198	—	2 134	18 064	16 309	23.8		
Ritchie	—	—	—	—	—	—	11 442	3 325	1 097	7 020	10 145	12.8		
Roane	2 799	17.5	—	2 799	—	—	13 153	—	338	12 815	14 111	-6.8		
Summers	4 622	29.1	—	4 622	4 503	2.6	11 253	—	—	11 253	8 710	29.2		
Taylor	6 845	41.3	—	6 845	6 433	6.4	9 739	—	452	9 287	7 445	30.8		
Tucker	—	—	—	—	—	—	8 675	1 937	2 519	4 219	7 447	16.5		
Tyler	1 140	10.1	—	1 140	1 125	1.3	10 180	2 367	1 183	6 630	8 804	15.6		
Upshur	6 820	29.1	—	6 820	7 261	-6.1	16 607	—	—	16 607	11 831	40.4		
Wayne	13 952	30.3	13 952	—	13 324	4.7	32 069	1 495	886	29 688	24 257	32.2		
Webster	—	—	—	—	—	—	12 245	—	1 898	10 347	9 809	24.8		
Wetzel	9 640	44.1	—	9 640	9 077	6.2	12 234	—	1 845	10 369	11 237	8.9		
Wirt	—	—	—	—	—	—	4 922	—	856	4 066	4 154	18.5		
Wood	62 620	66.9	55 988	6 632	60 564	3.4	31 028	1 356	—	29 672	26 254	18.2		
Wyoming	2 919	8.1	—	2 919	2 967	-1.6	33 074	4 324	—	28 750	27 128	21.9		

Table 4. Population of County Subdivisions: 1960 to 1980

[Total population of a place in two or more county subdivisions appears in table 5. Counts relate to county subdivisions and places as defined at each census. For meaning of symbols, see Introduction.]

County Subdivisions	1980	1970	1960	County Subdivisions	1980	1970	1960
The State				Doddridge County—Con			
Borbour County <sup>1</sup>	1 949 644	1 744 237	1 860 421	New Milton district	532	313	465
North district	16 639	14 030	15 474	Southwest district	282	215	236
Philippi city (pt) <sup>1</sup>	4 947	...	...	West Union district	2 253	2 208	2 331
South district	1 221	(NA)	(NA)	West Union town	1 090	1 141	1 186
Belington town	6 066	...	...	Fayette County <sup>8</sup>			
Junior town	2 038	1 567	1 528	New Haven district	57 863	49 332	61 731
West district	5 626	...	...	Ansted town	17 386	...	...
Philippi city (pt) <sup>1</sup>	1 973	(NA)	(NA)	Fayetteville town <sup>8</sup>	1 952	1 511	1 511
Berkeley County <sup>2</sup>	46 775	36 356	33 791	Meadow Bridge town <sup>8</sup>	2 366	1 712	1 848
Arden district	11 311	8 576	6 994	Plateau district	530	429	426
Martinsburg city (pt) <sup>1</sup>	1 630	1 554	852	Mount Hope city <sup>2</sup>	24 863	...	...
Folling Waters district	3 594	2 225	1 651	Oak Hill city <sup>9</sup>	1 849	1 829	2 000
Gerrardstown district	3 122	2 331	2 262	Pax town	7 120	4 738	4 711
Hedgesville district	6 259	3 609	3 271	Thurmond town	274	288	408
Hedgesville town	217	274	342	Volley district <sup>8</sup>	67	86	189
Martinsburg city (pt)	553	260	...	Boomer (CDP)	15 614	...	...
Martinsburg district	10 485	12 453	14 327	Gauley Bridge town <sup>8</sup>	1 051	1 261	...
Martinsburg city (pt)	10 485	12 453	14 327	Montgomery city (pt)	1 177	...	...
Mill Creek district	5 167	3 141	2 346	Powellton (CDP)	2 218	1 786	2 173
Inwood (CDP)	1 159	...	...	Sminthers city (pt)	1 339	...	...
Opequon district	6 837	4 021	2 940	Smithers city (pt)	1 480	1 837	1 670
Martinsburg city (pt) <sup>2</sup>	395	359	...	Gilmer County <sup>8</sup>			
Boone County <sup>3</sup>	30 447	25 118	28 764	Center district	8 334	7 782	8 050
Crook district	6 586	5 366	7 093	De Kobl district	2 045	1 736	2 132
Madison city (pt) <sup>3</sup>	284	...	...	Glenville district	944	844	885
Peytona district	3 654	3 184	3 487	Glenville town <sup>9</sup>	4 346	4 386	4 049
Scott district	6 772	5 666	5 826	Layopolis town	2 155	2 183	1 828
Donville town	727	580	507	Troy district	260	252	237
Madison city (pt) <sup>3</sup>	2 615	2 324	2 215		999	816	984
Shermon district	7 318	6 134	7 206	Grant County <sup>10</sup>			
Sylvester town	256	245	316	Grant district	10 210	8 607	8 304
Whitesville town	689	781	774	Milroy district	1 814	1 522	1 448
Washington district	6 117	4 768	5 152	Petersburg city <sup>10</sup>	5 659	4 858	4 622
Madison city (pt) <sup>3</sup>	329	18	...	Union district	2 084	2 177	2 079
Broxton County <sup>4</sup>	13 894	12 666	15 152	Boyard town	2 737	2 227	2 234
Birch district	2 220	1 848	2 426		540	475	484
Holly district	3 711	3 254	3 567	Greenbrier County <sup>11</sup>			
Flatwoods town (pt)	215	176	137	Anthony Creek district	37 665	32 090	34 446
Sutton town (pt) <sup>4</sup>	980	912	797	Blue Sulphur district	1 127	563	536
Otter district	5 004	4 850	5 420	Alderson town (pt) <sup>11</sup>	2 993	2 498	2 622
Gassaway town	1 225	1 253	1 223	Folling Spring district	1 118	892	774
Sutton town (pt) <sup>4</sup>	212	119	170	Folling Spring town	1 115	915	1 215
Salt Lick district	2 959	2 714	3 739	Fort Spring district	240	255	265
Burnsville town	531	591	728	Fairlea (CDP)	5 365	4 299	3 980
Flatwoods town (pt)	190	44	111	Ronceverte city (pt) <sup>11</sup>	1 888	...	...
Brooke County <sup>5</sup>	31 117	30 443	28 940	Fronkford district	2 282	1 981	1 882
Buffalo district	7 224	...	...	Irish Corner district	2 078	1 522	1 618
Beech Bottom village	507	544	506	Ronceverte city (pt) <sup>11</sup>	2 242	2 148	2 306
Bethany town	1 336	1 360	992	Williamsburg district	30	...	...
Cross Creek district	7 843	...	...	Lewisburg district	6 033	4 326	3 823
Follansbee city (pt) <sup>5</sup>	—	(NA)	(NA)	Lewisburg city <sup>11</sup>	3 065	2 407	2 259
Hooverston Heights (CDP) (pt)	3 111	...	...	Meadow Bluff district	9 741	9 346	11 717
Follansbee district	5 289	...	...	Quinwood town <sup>11</sup>	460	370	506
Follansbee city (pt) <sup>5</sup>	3 994	(NA)	(NA)	Roanelle town <sup>11</sup>	1 983	1 826	649
Hooverston Heights (CDP) (pt)	—	...	...	Rupert town	1 276	1 027	921
Weirton district	5 982	...	...	White Sulphur district	5 562	5 353	5 245
Weirton city (pt)	4 176	4 681	4 138	White Sulphur Springs city <sup>11</sup>	3 371	2 869	2 676
Wellsburg district	4 779	...	...	Williamsburg	1 409	1 120	1 384
Wellsburg city	3 963	4 600	5 514	Homspire County	14 867	11 710	11 705
Cobell County <sup>6</sup>	106 835	106 918	108 202	Blooming district	1 363	1 005	952
Barbourville district	17 201	13 908	9 415	Capon Bridge town (pt)	54	68	63
Barbourville village <sup>6</sup>	2 871	2 279	2 331	Capon district	1 518	990	1 029
Gideon district	39 207	46 112	51 920	Gore district	137	143	135
Huntington city (pt)	39 200	46 112	51 920	Mill Creek district	2 567	1 757	1 964
Grant district	12 201	9 233	7 969	Romney district	712	659	643
Culloden (CDP) (pt)	2 664	1 033	...	Sherman district	3 811	4 049	3 772
Milton town <sup>7</sup>	2 178	1 597	1 714	Springfield district	2 094	2 364	2 203
Guyandotte district	13 023	11 416	9 589		2 669	1 604	1 567
Huntington city (pt) <sup>8</sup>	3 814	3 840	3 297		2 227	1 646	1 778
Kyle district	15 678	18 815	22 523	Hancock County <sup>12</sup>			
Huntington city (pt)	15 671	18 808	22 523	Butler district	40 418	39 749	39 615
McComas district	5 501	4 069	3 742	Weirton city (pt)	15 724	...	...
Union district	4 024	3 365	3 044	Cloyd district	15 723	(NA)	(NA)
Calhoun County	8 250	7 046	7 948	New Cumberland city (pt)	10 098	5 091	4 572
Center district	2 228	1 907	2 182	Weirton city (pt)	751	(NA)	(NA)
Grantsville town	788	795	866	Grant district	4 837	(NA)	(NA)
Lee district	1 844	1 582	1 698	Chester city	14 596	...	...
Sheridan district	1 053	833	946	New Cumberland city (pt)	3 297	3 614	3 787
Sherman district	1 528	1 389	1 444	Newell (CDP)	1 001	(NA)	(NA)
Washington district	1 597	1 335	1 678		2 032	2 300	1 842
Cloyd County <sup>7</sup>	11 265	9 330	11 942	Hardy County <sup>13</sup>			
Buffalo district	1 570	1 302	2 343	Capon district	10 030	8 855	9 308
Henry district	3 985	3 129	3 820	Wardensville town	1 748	1 520	1 532
Cloyd town <sup>7</sup>	940	479	486	Lost River district	2 022	1 939	2 208
Otter district	988	1 192	1 510	Moorefield district	3 804	3 307	3 474
Pleasant district	3 061	2 448	3 044	Moorefield town (pt) <sup>13</sup>	1 798	1 751	1 313
Union district	1 661	1 259	1 225	South Fork district	2 456	2 089	2 094
Doddridge County	7 433	6 389	6 970	Moorefield town (pt)	459	373	121
Central district	983	850	868	Harrison County <sup>14</sup>			
Cove district	217	156	222	North Clarksburg district	77 710	73 028	77 856
Grant district	1 185	1 016	1 069	Clarksburg city (pt) <sup>13</sup>	11 225	...	...
Greenbrier district	795	674	636	Northern district <sup>14</sup>	11 225	(NA)	(NA)
McClellan district	1 186	957	1 143	Enterprise (CDP)	14 504	...	...

See footnotes at end of table.

Table 4. Population of County Subdivisions: 1960 to 1980—Con.

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## County Subdivisions

Harrison County—Con

Southeast district—Con

Stanewood city (pt)<sup>14</sup>

Southwest district

Salem city<sup>14</sup>

West Milford town

Suburban district<sup>14</sup>Anmoore town (pt)<sup>14</sup>

Despard (CDP)

East View (CDP)

Nutter Fort town<sup>14</sup>Stonewood city (pt)<sup>14</sup>Jackson County<sup>15</sup>

Grant district

Ravenswood district

Ravenswood city<sup>15</sup>

Ripley district

Ripley city

Union district

Washington district

Jefferson County<sup>16</sup>

Charles Town district

Charles Town city<sup>16</sup>Ronson town<sup>16</sup>

Harpers Ferry district

Bolivar town

Harpers Ferry town

Kobletown district

Middleway district

Shepherdstown district

Shepherdstown town

Kanawha County<sup>17</sup>

District 1

Belle town

Cedar Grove town

Chesapeake town

Cool Fork (CDP)

East Bank town

Elkview (CDP) (pt)

Glasgow town

Handley town<sup>17</sup>

Marmet town

Montgomery city (pt.)

Pratt town

Smithers city (pt.)

District 2

Charleston city (pt)<sup>17</sup>South Charleston city (pt)<sup>17</sup>

District 3

Nitro city (pt)

St. Albans city<sup>17</sup>South Charleston city (pt)<sup>17</sup>

District 4

Clendenin town

Dunbar city<sup>17</sup>

Elkview (CDP) (pt)

Pocatalico (CDP)

District 5<sup>17</sup>Charleston city (pt)<sup>17</sup>Lewis County<sup>18</sup>

Collins Settlement district

Court House district

Weston city (pt)<sup>18</sup>

Freemans Creek district

Weston city (pt)

Hackers Creek district

Jane Lew town

Weston city (pt)<sup>18</sup>

Skin Creek district

Lincoln County<sup>19</sup>

Carroll district

Hamlin town<sup>19</sup>

Duvol district

Harts Creek district

Jefferson district

Lourel Hill district

Sheridan district

West Hamlin town

Union district

Washington district

Logan County<sup>20</sup>

Guyan district

Chapmanville town<sup>20</sup>

Mitchell Heights town

West Logan town

Island Creek district

Holden (CDP)

Mount Gay-Shamrock (CDP)

Switzer (CDP)

Whitman (CDP)

Logan district

Logan city

Triadelphia district

Amherstdale-Robinette (CDP)

Mallory (CDP)

Mon town

## County Subdivisions

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## County Subdivisions

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1960

McDowell County <sup>21</sup>	49 899	50 666	71 359
Adkin district	6 398	7 068	12 645
Anawalt town	652	801	1 062
Gary city <sup>21</sup>	2 233	...	...
Big Creek district	119	...	...
Wor city	10 599	10 173	13 905
Browns Creek district	2 158	2 004	3 006
Davy town	14 851	15 686	21 693
Keystone city	882	993	1 331
Kimball town	902	1 008	1 457
Welch city (pt)	871	962	1 175
	3 766	4 149	5 313

Jackson County <sup>15</sup>	2 233	2 689	3 772
Grant district	1 672	1 215	2 227
Ravenwood district	8 759	7 731	10 549
Ravenwood city <sup>15</sup>	4 126	4 240	3 450
Ripley district	10 050	7 642	4 798
Ripley city	3 464	3 244	660
Union district	2 718	2 396	11 600
Washington district	2 595	1 919	14 546
	2 089		1 048

Harrison County <sup>16</sup>	65 789	61 356	63 717
Charles Town district	12 615	9 944	19 215
Charles Town city <sup>16</sup>	2 857	3 023	20 227
Ronson town <sup>16</sup>	2 471	2 189	1 815
Harpers Ferry district	4 937	3 572	14 499
Bolivar town	672	943	16 460
Harpers Ferry town	361	423	7 405
Kobletown district	2 657	1 739	2 255
Middleway district	4 941	2 264	1 819
Shepherdstown district	5 152	3 711	564
Shepherdstown town	1 791	1 688	642
	1 328		1 105

Kanawha County <sup>17</sup>	6 269	5 641	6 099
District 1	3 036	2 747	2 996
Belle town	2 559	2 274	6 172
Cedar Grove town	1 569	1 494	653
Chesapeake town	2 699	1 759	1 105
Cool Fork (CDP)	2 775	1 569	1 191
East Bank town	1 155	1 025	12 983
Elkview (CDP) (pt)	659	(NA)	12 064
Glasgow town	1 031	904	5 938
Handley town <sup>17</sup>	633	594	5 004
Marmet town	2 196	2 339	4 352
Montgomery city (pt.)	886	739	1 319
Pratt town	821	671	1 351
Smithers city (pt.)	2	183	1 083

District 2	41 608	37 598	38 041
Charleston city (pt) <sup>17</sup>	25 080	24 302	13 075
South Charleston city (pt) <sup>17</sup>	7 768	8 823	1 994
District 3	48 069	48 262	2 402
Nitro city (pt)	6 733	6 703	2 737
St. Albans city <sup>17</sup>	12 402	14 356	2 808
South Charleston city (pt) <sup>17</sup>	8 200	7 510	2 899

District 4	42 692	42 556	12 419
Charleston city (pt) <sup>17</sup>	25 080	24 302	12 419
South Charleston city (pt) <sup>17</sup>	7 768	8 823	12 419
District 3	48 069	48 262	13 560
Nitro city (pt)	6 733	6 703	16 114
St. Albans city <sup>17</sup>	12 402	14 356	1 474
South Charleston city (pt) <sup>17</sup>	8 200	7 510	1 875

District 5 <sup>17</sup>	38 888	47 203	27 045
Charleston city (pt) <sup>17</sup>	38 888	47 203	27 045
Lewis County <sup>18</sup>	18 813	17 847	24 306
Collins Settlement district	1 909	1 452	1 048
Court House district	4 548	5 612	3 107
Weston city (pt) <sup>18</sup>	2 534	3 613	4 044
Freemans Creek district	6 556	5 514	604
Weston city (pt)	2 292	2 169	1 246
Hackers Creek district	5 075	4 509	1 228
Jane Lew town	406	397	1 155
Weston city (pt) <sup>18</sup>	1 424	1 541	1 135
Skin Creek district	725	760	1 226

Lincoln County <sup>19</sup>	23 675	18 912	27 234
Carroll district	3 807	3 152	23 093
Hamlin town <sup>19</sup>	1 219	1 024	16 060
Duvol district	3 473	2 717	2 454
Harts Creek district	4 135	2 892	26 891
Jefferson district	1 405	954	7 493
Lourel Hill district	2 651	2 400	23 958
Sheridan district	4 489	4 037	1 147
West Hamlin town	643	715	989
Union district	755	667	1 125
Washington district	2 960	2 093	613

Logan County <sup>20</sup>	50 679	46 269	27 234
Guyan district	15 001	12 184	23 109
Chapmanville town <sup>20</sup>	1 164	1 175	1 315
Mitchell Heights town	342	524	1 313
West Logan town	630	685	1 588
Island Creek district	15 146	13 523	2 454
Holden (CDP)	2 036	2 325	2 454
Mount Gay-Shamrock (CDP)	4 366	3 843	2 454
Switzer (CDP)	1 034	...	2 454
Whitman (CDP)	1 651	...	2 454
Logan district	8 444	8 944	2 454
Logan city	3 029	3 311	2 454

Triadelphia district	12 088	11 618	27 234
Ashurstdale-Robinette (CDP)	1 075	1 602	2 208
Mallory (CDP)	1 330	1 240	1 510
Mon town	1 333	1 201	1 313
	1 486		1 313

Piedmont district	1 233	...	1 233
Piedmont town	1 233	...	1 233
Welson district	1 233	...	1 233
	1 233	...	1 233

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Table 4. Population of County Subdivisions: 1960 to 1980—Con.

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**County Subdivisions**

	1980	1970	1960
Mingo County <sup>26</sup>			
Hardee district	37 336	32 780	39 742
Harvey district	3 806	3 093	3 925
Kermitt district	2 481	1 929	2 000
Kermitt town	2 797	2 271	2 739
Lee district	705	716	743
Oelbenton town	4 327	3 374	4 390
Magnolia district	981	903	1 122
Mateweau town <sup>27</sup>	7 141	6 489	8 284
Stofford district	822	651	896
Gilbert town <sup>28</sup>	7 193	5 886	6 947
Tug River district	757	778	874
Chattaray (CDP)	4 372	3 907	4 711
Williamson district	5 219	5 831	6 746
Williamson city	5 219	5 831	6 746
Monongalia County <sup>27</sup>			
Central district	75 024	63 714	55 617
Morgantown city (pt) <sup>27</sup>	29 208	...	...
Star City town	27 374	(NA)	(NA)
Eastern district	1 464	1 312	1 236
Brookhaven (CDP)	26 401	...	...
Morgantown city (pt) <sup>27</sup>	1 661	...	...
Western district	231	(NA)	(NA)
Blacksville town	19 415	...	...
Granville town	248	264	211
Osage town	992	1 027	806
Westover city <sup>27</sup>	285	322	614
Westover city <sup>27</sup>	4 884	5 086	4 749
Monroe County <sup>18</sup>			
Red Sulphur district	12 873	11 272	11 584
Peterstown town <sup>28</sup>	5 031	3 912	4 011
Second Creek district	648	563	616
Springfield district	1 170	989	1 069
Sweet Springs district	1 953	1 617	1 811
Union district	1 735	1 528	1 710
Union town	1 813	1 549	1 528
Wolf Creek district	743	666	411
Alderson town (pt)	1 171	1 677	1 455
Morgan County			
Allen district	10 711	8 547	8 376
Bath district	1 768	1 243	961
Bath [Berkeley Springs] town	3 852	3 648	3 596
Cocapon district	789	944	1 138
Paw Paw town	2 071	1 844	2 097
Rock Gap district	644	706	789
Sleepy Creek district	1 259	645	606
Timber Ridge district	967	640	605
Nicholas County <sup>29</sup>			
Beaver district	28 126	22 552	25 414
Craigsdale (CDP)	9 369	8 089	8 938
Richwood city	1 562	...	...
Grant district	3 568	3 717	4 110
Hamilton district	1 480	1 129	1 465
Jefferson district	3 118	2 505	3 051
Kentucky district	2 410	2 064	2 350
Summersville district	4 384	3 499	4 248
Summersville town <sup>28</sup>	4 800	3 511	3 375
Summersville town <sup>28</sup>	2 972	2 429	2 008
Wilderness district	2 565	1 755	1 987
Ohio County <sup>30</sup>			
Liberty Triadelphia district	61 389	63 439	68 437
Triadelphia town (pt) <sup>30</sup>	14 756	...	...
Valley Grove village	1 254	(NA)	(NA)
West Liberty town <sup>30</sup>	597	509	548
Wheeling city (pt)	744	...	...
Madison Union Clay Washington district	6 182	(NA)	(NA)
Wheeling city (pt)	10 307	...	...
Richland Washington district	10 307	(NA)	(NA)
Clearview village	14 773	...	...
Wheeling city (pt) <sup>30</sup>	740	512	520
Ritchie Webster Center district <sup>30</sup>			
Bethlehem village <sup>30</sup>	10 011	...	...
Wheeling city (pt) <sup>30</sup>	2 677	2 461	2 300
Triadelphia district	6 205	(NA)	(NA)
Triadelphia town (pt)	11 542	...	...
Wheeling city (pt) <sup>30</sup>	207	(NA)	(NA)
Pendleton County			
Bethel district	7 910	7 031	8 093
Circleville district	915	817	893
Franklin district	1 027	839	1 000
Franklin town	2 620	2 032	2 401
Mill Run district	780	695	758
Sugar Grove district	1 219	1 156	1 452
Union district	950	920	954
Pleasonton County <sup>31</sup>	1 179	1 267	1 393
Pocahontas County			
Edray district	8 236	7 274	7 124
Edray town	1 707	1 526	1 257
Jefferson district	887	802	454
Lafayette district	677	458	514
McKim district	378	311	321
Union district	951	603	646
St. Marys city (pt) <sup>31</sup>	1 716	1 369	761
Washington district	290	109	...
St. Marys city (pt) <sup>31</sup>	2 807	3 007	3 625
Greenbank district	1 929	2 239	2 443
Pocahontas County	9 919	8 870	10 136
Marlinton town (pt)	3 749	3 228	3 910
Greenbank district	1 346	1 286	1 586

**County Subdivisions**

	1980	1970	1960
Pocahontas County—Con			
Greenbank district—Con			
Cass town	148	173	327
Durbin town	379	347	431
Huntermill town	1 207	1 052	1 035
Marlinton town (pt)	6	—	—
Little Levels district	1 879	1 696	1 857
Hillsboro village	276	267	210
Preston County <sup>32</sup>			
Grant district	30 460	25 455	27 233
Brandenburg town	2 187	1 699	1 739
Bruceton Mills town	92	82	109
Kingwood district	296	209	209
Kingwood city <sup>32</sup>	7 031	5 993	6 240
Tunnelton town	2 877	2 550	2 530
Lyon district	510	369	359
Newburg town	2 097	1 723	1 890
Pleasant district	418	457	494
Portland district	2 016	1 559	1 928
Albright town	5 098	4 111	4 580
Rowlesburg town (pt)	357	319	304
Terra Alta town	133	104	136
Reedsville town	1 946	1 474	1 504
Reno district	4 119	3 648	3 960
Rowlesburg town (pt)	833	725	834
Union district	2 188	1 841	2 084
Valley district	5 724	4 881	4 812
Arthurdale (CDP)	1 043	...	...
Masontown town	1 052	868	841
Reedsville town	564	379	398
Putnam County	38 181	27 625	23 561
Buffalo district	3 168	2 254	2 320
Buffalo town	1 034	831	396
Eleanor town (pt)	—	—	—
Curry district	8 423	6 268	4 714
Culwood (CDP) (pt)	267	211	...
Hurricane city (pt)	3 201	2 711	1 534
Pocatalico district	8 070	6 332	6 141
Bancroft town	528	446	469
Nitro city (pt)	1 341	1 316	1 308
Poco town (pt)	1 142	772	607
Scott district	9 598	5 673	4 018
Poca town (pt)	—	—	—
Winfield town	329	328	318
Teays Valley district	3 869	2 976	2 539
Harrison city (pt)	550	780	436
Union district	5 053	4 122	3 829
Eleonor town (pt)	1 282	1 035	...
Raleigh County <sup>33</sup>			
District 1	86 821	70 080	77 826
Beckley city (pt) <sup>33</sup>	30 229	...	...
Coal City (CDP) (pt)	1 702	(NA)	(NA)
Crab Orchard (CDP)	2 099	(NA)	(NA)
Eccles (CDP)	3 337	1 758	1 953
Lester town	1 162	1 105	1 145
Mobscott town	626	507	626
MacArthur (CDP)	1 668	1 254	1 591
Rhodell town	2 152	1 614	1 418
Sophia town	472	500	626
District 2	1 216	1 303	1 284
Beckley city (pt) <sup>33</sup>	23 964	...	...
Bradley (CDP) (pt)	6 566	(NA)	(NA)
Prosperity (CDP)	1 704	...	...
District 3	1 298	...	...
Beaver (CDP)	32 628	...	...
Beckley city (pt) <sup>33</sup>	1 122	...	...
Coal City (CDP) (pt)	12 224	(NA)	(NA)
Daniels (CDP)	225	(NA)	(NA)
Piney View (CDP)	1 959	...	...
Shady Spring (CDP)	1 193	...	...
Stonaford (CDP)	1 786	...	...
Randolph County <sup>34</sup>			
Beverly district	28 734	24 596	26 349
Beverly town	3 418	2 445	2 310
Dry Fork district <sup>34</sup>	475	470	441
Harman town	1 753	1 693	1 876
Huttonsville district	181	142	128
Huttonsville town	2 936	2 177	2 679
Mill Creek town	242	167	242
Leadsville district	801	800	817
Elkins city <sup>34</sup>	13 979	12 662	12 301
Middle Fork district	8 536	8 287	8 307
Mingo district	1 100	902	1 502
New Interest district	1 117	1 044	1 648
Monroe village	1 007	755	784
Womelsdorf town	129	115	114
Roaring Creek district	1 702	1 508	1 895
Womelsdorf town	306	234	354
Valley Bend district	1 722	1 410	1 354
Ritchie County <sup>35</sup>			
Clay district	11 442	10 145	10 877
Ellenboro town	4 108	3 665	3 901
Pennsboro town	357	267	340
Grant district	1 652	1 614	1 660
Cairo town	2 239	2 034	2 241
Murphy district	428	412	418
Union district	1 775	1 520	1 807
Auburn town	3 320	2 926	2 928
Auburn town	116	115	139

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Table 4. Population of County Subdivisions: 1960 to 1980—Con.

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**County Subdivisions**

	1980	1970	1960
Ritchie County—Con			
Union district—Con			
Harrisville town <sup>35</sup>	1 673	1 464	1 428
Pullman town	196	157	162
Roane County <sup>36</sup>	15 952	14 111	15 720
Curtis district	883	569	548
Geary district	2 396	1 946	2 590
Harper district	935	683	854
Reedy district	1 112	1 105	1 173
Reedy town	338	351	352
Smithfield district	1 680	1 491	1 557
Spencer district	7 007	6 573	7 004
Spencer city <sup>36</sup>	2 799	2 271	2 660
Walton district	1 939	1 744	1 994
Summers County <sup>37</sup>	15 875	13 213	15 640
Bluestone River district	3 582	...	(NA)
Hinton city (pt.)	194	(NA)	(NA)
Greenbrier River district	8 484	...	(NA)
Hinton city (pt.)	3 301	(NA)	(NA)
New River district	3 809	...	(NA)
Hinton city (pt.)	1 127	(NA)	(NA)
Taylor County <sup>38</sup>	16 584	13 878	15 010
Central district	4 448	...	(NA)
Grafton city (pt.)	4 448	(NA)	(NA)
Eastern district	5 524	...	(NA)
Grafton city (pt.) <sup>39</sup>	2 397	(NA)	(NA)
Western district	6 612	...	(NA)
Flemington town	452	458	478
Grafton city (pt.)	—	(NA)	(NA)
Tucker County	8 675	7 447	7 750
Block Fork district	4 362	3 899	3 665
Hambleton town	403	328	275
Hendricks town	390	317	407
Parsons city	1 937	1 784	1 798
Clover district	322	312	377
Davis district	1 088	983	1 001
Davis town	979	868	898
Dry Fork district	718	521	607
Fairfax district	1 111	930	1 150
Thomas city	747	713	830
Licking district	241	159	228
St. George district	833	643	722
Tyler County <sup>40</sup>	11 320	9 929	10 026
Centreville district	584	486	509
Ellsworth district	2 942	2 384	2 316
Middlebourne town	941	814	711
Lincoln district	4 712	4 559	4 399
Poden City city (pt.)	1 140	1 125	928
Sistersville city <sup>40</sup>	2 367	2 246	2 331
McElroy district	1 109	1 075	1 235
Meade district	521	412	489
Union district	1 452	1 013	1 078
Friendly town	242	190	195
Upshur County <sup>40</sup>	23 427	19 092	18 292
Banks district	2 451	2 059	2 344
Buckhannon district	10 113	9 733	8 586
Buckhannon city (pt.) <sup>40</sup>	6 233	7 013	6 386
Meade district	2 371	1 832	2 036
Union district	3 540	2 086	2 136
Buckhannon city (pt.)	587	248	—
Warren district	1 829	1 358	1 323
Washington district	3 123	2 024	1 867
Wayne County <sup>41</sup>	46 021	37 581	38 977
Butler district	5 154	4 237	4 324
For Gay town <sup>41</sup>	886	792	739
Ceredo district	13 346	10 387	9 659
Ceredo city (pt.) <sup>41</sup>	2 109	1 583	1 387
Kenova city <sup>41</sup>	4 454	4 860	4 577
Lincoln district	5 485	3 998	5 294
Stonewall district	3 732	2 966	3 608
Union district	10 227	6 952	6 096
Wayne town	1 495	1 385	1 274
Westmoreland district	8 077	9 041	8 578
Ceredo city (pt.) <sup>41</sup>	146	...	—
Huntington city (pt.)	4 999	5 555	5 887
Webster County	12 245	9 809	13 719
Fork Lick district	4 526	3 319	5 407
Addison town	939	1 038	1 132
Glade district	5 508	4 479	5 621
Comden-on-Gauley town	236	243	301
Cowen town	723	467	475
Hacker Valley district	800	701	1 070
Holly district	1 411	1 310	1 621
Wetzel County <sup>42</sup>	21 874	20 314	19 347
Center district	998	813	852
Church district	1 643	1 480	1 590
Hundred town	485	475	475
Clay district	713	734	796
Littleton town	335	333	339
Grant district	3 252	3 070	3 949
Pine Grove town <sup>42</sup>	767	630	760
Smithfield town	278	294	361
Green district	2 165	2 063	1 799
Magnolia district	11 800	10 894	9 177
New Martinsville city <sup>42</sup>	7 109	6 528	5 607
Paden City city (pt.)	2 531	2 549	2 209

**County Subdivisions**

	1980	1970	1960
Wetzel County—Con			
Proctor district	1 303	1 260	1 184
Wirt County	4 922	4 154	4 391
Burning Springs district	626	653	791
Clay district	408	324	343
Elizabeth district	1 990	1 715	1 603
Elizabeth town	856	821	727
Newark district	870	466	396
Reedy district	427	347	480
Spring Creek district	317	267	369
Tucker district	284	382	409
Wood County <sup>43</sup>	93 648	86 818	78 331
Clay district	5 730	3 944	3 209
Harrison district	1 452	1 243	1 117
Lubeck district	10 621	8 757	6 310
Blennerhassett (COP)	3 537	...	...
Lubeck (COP)	1 356	...	...
Parkersburg city (pt.)	1 503	1 655	1 830
Parkersburg district	36 643	40 222	39 103
North Hills town (pt.) <sup>43</sup>	220	...	...
Parkersburg city (pt.) <sup>43</sup>	26 468	30 950	31 751
Vienna city (pt.)	6 152	5 903	4 876
Slate district	3 430	1 724	1 334
Steele district	1 206	1 044	780
Tygart district	15 604	14 944	13 906
Parkersburg city (pt.)	11 996	11 603	11 216
Union district	3 749	2 431	2 287
Weller district	1 280	1 085	1 123
Williams district	13 933	11 424	9 162
North Hills town (pt.) <sup>43</sup>	720	...	...
Vienna city (pt.) <sup>43</sup>	5 466	5 646	4 505
Williamstown city <sup>43</sup>	3 095	2 743	2 632
Wyoming County <sup>44</sup>	35 993	30 095	34 836
Baileysville district	3 051	2 061	2 467
Brenton (COP)	1 041	...	...
Barker Ridge district	3 902	3 723	5 011
Mullens city (pt.)	12	12	13
Center district	6 317	5 165	5 238
Pineville town <sup>44</sup>	1 140	1 187	1 137
Clear Fork district	2 475	2 187	2 839
Huff Creek district	2 936	2 156	2 144
Oceana district	9 190	7 242	7 507
Oceana town	2 143	1 580	1 303
Slab Fork district	8 122	7 561	9 630
Mullens city (pt.)	2 907	2 955	3 531

NOTE: The county subdivisions in this State are minor civil divisions (MCD's) known as magisterial districts; see the text for additional information.

<sup>1</sup>BARBOUR COUNTY. Annexations were made by Philippi city. The county was redistricted.

<sup>2</sup>BERKELEY COUNTY. Annexations were made by Martinsburg city.

<sup>3</sup>BOONE COUNTY. Madison city annexed into Crook district. Additional annexations were made by Madison city.

<sup>4</sup>BRAXTON COUNTY. Areas were annexed and detached by Sutton town.

<sup>5</sup>BROOKE COUNTY. Annexations were made by Follansbee city. The county was redistricted.

<sup>6</sup>CABELL COUNTY. Annexations were made by Huntington city, Milton town, and Barboursville village.

<sup>7</sup>CLAY COUNTY. Annexations were made by Clay town, and Oak Hill cities and Fayetteville and Meadow Bridge towns.

Gauley Bridge town was incorporated (1970 population: 980). The county was redistricted; Valley district was formed from Kanawha and Falls districts (combined 1970 population: 15,500). Other revised districts are not comparable to those of 1970.

<sup>9</sup>GILMER COUNTY. Annexations were made by Glenville town.

<sup>10</sup>GRANT COUNTY. Annexations were made by Petersburg city.

<sup>11</sup>GREENBRIER COUNTY. Ronceverte city annexed into Irish Corner district. Additional annexations were made by Ronceverte city and by Lewisburg and White Sulphur Springs cities and Alderson, Quinwood, and Railnelle towns.

<sup>12</sup>HANCOCK COUNTY. The county was redistricted.

<sup>13</sup>HARDY COUNTY. Annexations were made by Moorefield town.

<sup>14</sup>HARRISON COUNTY. Stonewood city annexed into Southeast district. Annexations were also made by Shinnston, Bridgeport, and Salem cities and Ammoe and Nutter Fort towns. The county was redistricted; Northern district was formed from Eagle, Sardis, and Clay districts (combined 1970 population: 12,260). Other revised districts are not comparable to those of 1970.

<sup>15</sup>JACKSON COUNTY. Annexations were made by Ravenswood city.

<sup>16</sup>JEFFERSON COUNTY. Annexations were made by Charles Town city and Ransom town.

Table 4. Population of County Subdivisions: 1960 to 1980—Con.

- 17 KANAWHA COUNTY. Annexations were made by Charles-ton, South Charleston, St. Albans, and Dunbar cities. Handley town was incorporated (1970 population: 460). The county was partially redistricted; Charleston district was renamed District 5. Other districts are not comparable to those of 1970.
- 18 LEWIS COUNTY. Annexations were made by Weston city.
- 19 LINCOLN COUNTY. Annexations were made by Hamlin town.
- 20 LOGAN COUNTY. Annexations were made by Chapman-ville town.
- 21 MC DOWELL COUNTY. Gary city was incorporated (1970 population: 2,712). Annexations were made by Gary city and Northfork town.
- 22 MARION COUNTY. Barrackville town was not returned separately in 1970.
- 23 MARSHALL COUNTY. Wheeling city annexed into Mar-shall County. Annexations were also made by Moundsville city. The county was redistricted; District 1 was formed from Union, Webster, and Sand Hill districts (combined 1970 population: 11,086). Other revised districts are not comparable to those of 1970.
- 24 MERCER COUNTY. Annexations were made by Bluefield and Princeton cities and Athens town. Area was detached by Princeton city. The county was redistricted.
- 25 MINERAL COUNTY. Annexations were made by Keyser city.
- 26 MINGO COUNTY. Annexations were made by Matewan and Gilbert towns.
- 27 MONONGALIA COUNTY. Annexations were made by Morgantown and Westover cities. The county was redistricted; Western district was formed from Grant, Cass, Clay, and Bat-telle districts (combined 1970 population: 16,862). Other revised districts are not comparable to those of 1970.
- 28 MONROE COUNTY. Annexations were made by Peterstown and Union towns.
- 29 NICHOLAS COUNTY. Annexations were made by Summers-ville town.
- 30 OHIO COUNTY. Annexations were made by Wheeling city, Triadelphia town, and Bethlehem village. Area was de-tached by Wheeling city. West Liberty town was incorporated (1970 population: 572). The county was redistricted; Ritchie Webster Center district was formed from Center, Ritchie, and Webster districts (combined 1970 population: 12,287). The other revised districts are not comparable to those of 1970.
- 31 PLEASANTS COUNTY. Annexations were made by St. Marys city.
- 32 PRESTON COUNTY. Annexations were made by Kingwood city.
- 33 RALEIGH COUNTY. Annexations were made by Beckley city. The county was redistricted.
- 34 RANDOLPH COUNTY. Annexations were made by Elkins city. Whitmer town was disincorporated.
- 35 RITCHIE COUNTY. Annexations were made by Harris-ville town.
- 36 ROANE COUNTY. Annexations were made by Spencer city.
- 37 SUMMERS COUNTY. The county was redistricted; Bluestone River district was formed from Jumping Branch and Pipestem districts (combined 1970 population: 2,793). The other revised districts are not comparable to those of 1970.
- 38 TAYLOR COUNTY. Annexations were made by Grafton city. The county was redistricted.
- 39 TYLER COUNTY. Annexations were made by Sisters-ville city.
- 40 UPHUR COUNTY. Annexations were made by Buckhannon city.
- 41 WAYNE COUNTY. Annexations were made by Ceredo city and Fort Gay town. Area was detached by Kenova city.
- 42 WETZEL COUNTY. Annexations were made by New Mar-tinsville city and Pine Grove town.
- 43 WOOD COUNTY. Annexations were made by Parkersburg, Vienna, and Williamstown cities. North Hills town was incor-porated (1970 population: 371).
- 44 WYOMING COUNTY. Annexations were made by Pineville town.

Table 5. Population of Places: 1960 to 1980

[For changes in boundaries of incorporated places since 1970 see table 4. For meaning of symbols see Introduction.]

Incorporated Places Census Designated Places			Incorporated Places Census Designated Places		
	Counties		Counties		Counties
	1980	1970		1980	1970
Addison town	Webster	939	1 038	1 132	20
Albright town	Preston	357	319	304	886
Alderson town					792
	Total	1 375	1 278	1 225	780
	Greenbrier (pt in)	1 118	892	774	695
	Monroe (pt in)	257	386	451	242
Amherstdale-Robinette (CDP)	Logan	1 075	1 602	1 716	2 233
Angwalt town	McDowell	652	801	1 062	1 225
Anmoore town	Harrison	865	944	1 050	1 253
Ansted town	Fayette	1 952	1 511	1 511	1 231
Arthurdale (CDP)	Preston	1 063			
Athens town	Mercer	1 147	967	1 086	
Auburn town	Ritchie	116	115	139	
Bancroft town	Putnam	528	446	469	
Barbourville village	Cabell	2 871	2 279	2 331	
Barrackville town	Morgan	1 815	1 545		
Bath [Berkeley Springs] town	Morgan	789	944	1 138	
Bayard town	Graft	540	475	484	
Beaver (CDP)	Raleigh	1 122		...	
Beckley city	Raleigh	20 492	19 884	18 642	
Beech Bottom village	Brooke	507	544	506	
Belington town	Barbour	2 038	1 567	1 528	
Belle town	Kanawha	1 621	1 786	2 559	
Belmont city	Pleasants	887	802	454	
Benwood city	Marshall	1 994	2 737	2 850	
Bethany town	Brooke	1 336	1 360	992	
Bethlehem village	Ohio	2 677	2 461	2 300	
Beverly town	Randolph	475	470	441	
Blacksburg town	Monongalia	248	264	211	
Blennerhassett (CDP)	Wood	3 537		...	
Bluefield city	Mercer	16 060	15 921	19 256	
Bluemont (CDP)	Mercer	2 752		...	
Bolivar town	Jefferson	672	943	754	
Boomer (CDP)	Fayette	1 051	1 261	...	
Bradley (CDP)	Raleigh	1 704	...	...	
Bradshaw (CDP)	McDowell	1 002	1 048		
Bramwell town	Mercer	989	1 125	1 195	
Brandenburg town	Preston	92	82	109	
Brenton (CDP)	Wyoming	1 041		...	
Bridgeport city	Harrison	6 604	4 777	4 199	
Brookhaven (CDP)	Monongalia	1 661	...	...	
Bruceton Mills town	Preston	296	209	209	
Buckhannon city	Upshur	6 820	7 261	6 386	
Buffalo town	Putnam	1 034	831	396	
Burnsville town	Braxton	531	591	728	
Cairo town	Ritchie	428	412	418	
Camden-on-Gauley town	Webster	236	243	301	
Cameron city	Marshall	1 474	1 537	1 652	
Capon Bridge town	Hampshire	191	211	198	
Cass town	Pocahontas	148	173	327	
Cedar Grove town	Kanawha	1 479	1 275	1 569	
Ceredo city	Wayne	2 255	1 583	1 387	
Chapmonville town	Logan	1 164	1 175	1 241	
Charleston city	Kanawha	63 968	71 505	85 796	
Charles Town city	Jefferson	2 857	3 023	3 329	
Chattoroy (CDP)	Mingo	1 383	1 145	...	
Chesapeake town	Kanawha	2 364	2 428	2 699	
Chester city	Hancock	3 297	3 614	3 787	
Clarksburg city	Harrison	22 371	24 864	28 112	
Clay town	Clay	940	479	486	
Clearview village	Ohio	740	512	520	
Gleneden town	Kanawha	1 373	1 438	1 510	
Cool City (CDP)	Raleigh	2 324	1 089	...	
Cool Fork (CDP)	Kanawha	2 775	...	...	
Cowen town	Webster	723	467	475	
Crab Orchard (CDP)	Raleigh	3 337	1 758	1 953	
Craigsville (CDP)	Nicholas	1 562	...	...	
Culloden (CDP)	Total	2 931	1 033	...	
	Cabell (pt in)	2 664	1 033	...	
	Putnam (pt in)	267	...	...	
Daniels (CDP)	Raleigh	1 959	...	...	
Denville town	Boone	727	580	507	
Davis town	Tucker	979	868	898	
Davy town	McDowell	882	993	1 331	
Delbarton town	Mingo	981	903	1 122	
Despard (CDP)	Harrison	1 434	1 400	1 763	
Dunbar city	Kanawha	9 285	9 151	11 006	
Durban town	Pocahontas	379	347	431	
East Bank town	Kanawha	1 155	1 025	1 023	
East View (CDP)	Harrison	1 222	1 618	1 704	
Eccles (CDP)	Raleigh	1 162	1 105	1 145	
Eleanor town	Putnam	1 282	1 035	...	
Elizabeth town	Wirt	856	821	727	
Elk Garden town	Mineral	291	291	329	
Elkins city	Randolph	8 536	8 287	8 307	
Elkview (CDP)	Kanawha	1 161	1 486	...	
Ellenboro town	Ritchie	357	267	340	
Enterprise (CDP)	Harrison	1 110	...	...	
Forkeet (CDP)	Greenbrier	1 888	...	...	
Fairmont city	Morgan	23 863	26 093	27 477	
Fairview town	Morgan	759	640	653	
Falling Spring town	Greenbrier	240	255	265	
Farmington town	Morgan	583	595	709	
Fayetteville town	Fayette	2 366	1 712	1 848	
Flatwoods town	Braxton	405	220	248	
Hemmings town	Taylor	452	458	478	
Follonsbee city	Brooke	3 994	3 883	4 092	

Table 5. Population of Places: 1960 to 1980—Con.

(For changes in boundaries of incorporated places since 1970 see table 4. For meaning of symbols see Introduction)

Incorporated Places Census Designated Places	Counties			Incorporated Places Census Designated Places	Counties			
		1980	1970	1960		1980	1970	1960
Nutter Fort town	Harrison	2 078	2 379	2 440	Winfield town	Rutledge	329	128
Oak Hill city	Fayette	7 120	4 738	4 711	Womelsdorf town	Pendleton	307	274
Oakvale town	Mercer	208	292	267	Worthington town	Marion	372	168
Oceanica town	Wyoming	2 143	1 580	1 303				
Osage town	Monongalia	285	322	614				
Poden City city	Total	3 671	3 674	3 137				
	Tyler (pt in)	1 140	1 125	928				
	Wetzel (pt in)	2 531	2 549	2 209				
Parkersburg city	Wood	39 967	44 208	44 797				
Parsons city	Tucker	1 937	1 784	1 798				
Paw Paw town	Morgan	644	706	789				
Pax town	Fayette	274	288	408				
Pensboro city	Ritchie	1 652	1 614	1 660				
Petersburg city	Grant	2 084	2 177	2 079				
Peters town	Monroe	648	563	616				
Philippi city	Borboru	3 194	3 002	2 228				
Piedmont town	Mineral	1 491	1 763	2 307				
Pine Grove town	Wetzel	767	630	760				
Pineville town	Wyoming	1 140	1 187	1 137				
Piney View (CDP)	Raleigh	1 193	...	...				
Poca town	Putnam	1 142	772	607				
Pocatalico (CDP)	Kanowha	2 420	...	...				
Point Pleasant city	Mason	5 682	6 122	5 785				
Powellton (CDP)	Fayette	1 339	...	...				
Pratt town	Kanowha	821	671	602				
Princeton city	Mercer	7 493	7 253	8 393				
Prosperity (CDP)	Raleigh	1 298	...	...				
Pullman town	Ritchie	196	157	162				
Quinwood town	Greenbrier	460	370	506				
Rainelle town	Greenbrier	1 983	1 826	649				
Ranson town	Jefferson	2 471	2 189	1 974				
Ravenswood city	Jackson	4 126	4 240	3 410				
Reedsville town	Preston	564	379	398				
Ready town	Roane	338	351	352				
Rhodell town	Raleigh	472	500	626				
Richwood city	Nicholas	3 568	3 717	4 110				
Ridgely town	Mineral	994	1 112	1 229				
Ripley city	Jackson	3 464	3 244	2 756				
Rivesville town	Marion	1 327	1 108	1 191				
Romney city	Hampshire	2 094	2 364	2 203				
Ronceverte city	Greenbrier	2 312	1 981	1 882				
Rowlesburg town	Preston	966	829	970				
Rupert town	Greenbrier	1 276	1 027	921				
St. Albans city	Kanowha	12 402	14 356	15 103				
St. Marys city	Pleasants	2 219	2 348	2 443				
Salem city	Harrison	2 706	2 597	2 366				
Shady Spring (CDP)	Raleigh	1 786	...	...				
Shepherdstown town	Jefferson	1 791	1 688	1 328				
Shinnston city	Harrison	3 059	2 576	2 724				
Sistersville city	Taylor	2 367	2 246	2 331				
Smithers city	Total	1 482	2 020	1 696				
	Fayette (pt in)	1 480	1 837	1 670				
Smithfield town	Kanowha (pt in)	2	183	26				
Sophia town	Wetzel	278	294	361				
South Charleston city	Raleigh	1 216	1 303	1 284				
Spencer city	Kanowha	15 968	16 333	19 180				
Stanford (CDP)	Roane	2 799	2 271	2 660				
Star City town	Raleigh	2 016	...	...				
Stonewood city	Monongalia	1 464	1 312	1 236				
Summersville town	Harrison	2 058	1 950	2 202				
Sutton town	Nicholas	2 972	2 429	2 008				
	Braxton	1 192	1 031	967				
Switzer (CDP)	Logan	1 034	...	...				
Sylvester town	Boone	256	245	316				
Terra Alta town	Preston	1 946	1 474	1 504				
Thomas city	Tucker	747	713	830				
Thurmond town	Fayette	67	86	189				
Philadelphia town	Ohio	1 461	547	600				
Tunnelton town	Preston	510	369	359				
Union town	Monroe	743	566	411				
Volley Grove village	Ohio	597	509	548				
Vienna city	Wood	11 618	11 549	9 381				
Wat city	McDowell	2 158	2 004	3 006				
Wardensville town	Hardy	241	288	289				
Wayne town	Wayne	1 495	1 385	1 274				
Weirton city	Total	24 736	27 131	28 201				
	Brooke (pt in)	4 176	4 681	4 138				
	Hancock (pt in)	20 560	22 450	24 063				
Welch city	McDowell	3 885	4 149	5 313				
Wellsburg city	Brooke	3 963	4 600	5 514				
West Hamlin town	Lincoln	643	715	788				
West Liberty town	Ohio	744	...	...				
West Logan town	Logan	630	685	855				
West Milford town	Harrison	510	356	367				
Weston city	Lewis	6 250	7 323	8 754				
Westover city	Monongalia	4 884	5 086	4 749				
West Union town	Doddridge	1 090	1 141	1 186				
Wheeling city	Total	43 070	48 188	53 400				
	Marshall (pt in)	196	...	...				
	Ohio (pt in)	42 874	48 188	53 400				
White Sulphur Springs city	Greenbrier	3 371	2 869	2 676				
Whitesville town	Boone	689	781	774				
Whitman (CDP)	Logan	1 651	...	...				
Wiley Ford (CDP)	Mineral	1 224	...	...				
Williamson city	Mingo	5 219	5 831	6 746				
Williamstown city	Wood	3 095	2 743	2 632				

Table 6. Rank and Population of Incorporated Places of 5,000 or More in 1980: 1980 and 1970

[For changes in boundaries of incorporated places since 1970 see table 4. For meaning of symbols see Introduction.]

Incorporated Places	Counties	1980 rank	Population	
			1980	1970
Charleston city	Kanawha	1	63 968	71 505
Huntington city	Total	2	63 684	74 315
	Cabell (pt. in)		58 685	68 760
	Wayne (pt. in)		4 999	5 555
Wheeling city	Total	3	43 070	48 188
	Marschall (pt. in)		196	...
	Ohio (pt. in)		42 874	48 188
Parkersburg city	Wood	4	39 967	44 208
Morgantown city	Monongalia	5	27 605	29 431
Weirton city	Total	6	24 736	27 131
	Brooke (pt. in)		4 176	4 681
	Hancock (pt. in)		20 560	22 450
Fairmont city	Marion	7	23 863	26 093
Clarksburg city	Harrison	8	22 371	24 864
	Beckley city	9	20 492	19 884
Bluefield city	Mercer	10	16 060	15 921
South Charleston city	Kanawha	11	15 968	16 333
Martinsburg city	Berkeley	12	13 063	14 626
Moundsville city	Marschall	13	12 419	13 560
St. Albans city	Kanawha	14	12 402	14 356
Vienna city	Wood	15	11 618	11 549
Dunbar city	Kanawha	16	9 285	9 151
Elkins city	Randolph	17	8 536	8 287
Nitro city	Total	18	8 074	8 019
	Kanawha (pt. in)		6 733	6 703
	Putnam (pt. in)		1 341	1 316
Princeton city	Mercer	19	7 493	7 253
Oak Hill city	Fayette	20	7 120	4 738
New Martinsville city	Wetzel	21	7 109	6 528
Grafton city	Taylor	22	6 845	6 433
Buckhannon city	Upshur	23	6 820	7 261
Bridgeport city	Harrison	24	6 604	4 777
Keyser city	Mineral	25	6 569	6 586
Weston city	Lewis	26	6 250	7 323
Point Pleasant city	Mason	27	5 682	6 122
Williamson city	Mingo	28	5 219	5 831

Table 7. Population by Size of Place: 1980 and 1970

[Portions of certain cities may be classified as rural, see appendix A for explanation. For meaning of symbols, see Introduction]

The State Urbanized Areas	1980				1970			
	Places	Population	Percent of total population	Percent distribution	Places	Population	Percent of total population	Percent distribution
<b>THE STATE</b>								
Total -----	273	1 949 644	100.0		249	1 744 237	100.0	...
Urban -----								
Inside urbanized areas -----	80	705 319	36.2	100.0	63	681 555	39.1	100.0
Central cities -----	32	403 378	20.7	57.2	25	398 435	22.8	58.5
Cities of-----	5	235 425	12.1	33.4	5	265 347	15.2	38.9
1,000,000 or more -----	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
500,000 to 1,000,000 -----	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
250,000 to 500,000 -----	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
100,000 to 250,000 -----	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
50,000 to 100,000 -----	2	127 652	6.5	18.1	2	145 820	8.4	21.4
Less than 50,000 -----	3	107 773	5.5	15.3	3	119 527	6.9	17.5
Urban fringe -----	27	167 953	8.6	23.8	20	133 088	7.6	19.5
Places of 2,500 or more -----	11	86 873	4.5	12.3	10	78 296	4.5	11.5
100,000 or more -----	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
50,000 to 100,000 -----	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
25,000 to 50,000 -----	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
10,000 to 25,000 -----	4	52 407	2.7	7.4	3	42 238	2.4	6.2
5,000 to 10,000 -----	2	17 359	0.9	2.5	2	17 170	1.0	2.5
2,500 to 5,000 -----	5	17 107	0.9	2.4	5	18 863	1.1	2.8
Places of less than 2,500 -----	16	24 773	1.3	3.5	10	14 860	0.9	2.2
2,000 to 2,500 -----	4	9 217	0.5	1.3	3	7 228	0.4	1.1
1,500 to 2,000 -----	3	5 490	0.3	0.8	2	3 369	0.2	0.5
1,000 to 1,500 -----	6	7 392	0.4	1.0	2	2 300	0.1	0.3
Less than 1,000 -----	3	2 674	0.1	0.4	3	1 963	0.1	0.3
Other urban -----	...	56 307	2.9	8.0	...	39 932	2.3	5.9
Outside urbanized areas -----	48	301 941	15.5	42.8	38	283 120	16.2	41.5
Places of-----								
25,000 or more -----	1	27 605	1.4	3.9	2	55 524	3.2	8.1
10,000 to 25,000 -----	5	95 849	4.9	13.6	5	88 855	5.1	13.0
5,000 to 10,000 -----	11	74 247	3.8	10.5	10	66 710	3.8	9.8
2,500 to 5,000 -----	31	104 240	5.3	14.8	21	72 031	4.1	10.6
Rural -----	193	1 244 325	63.8	100.0	186	1 062 682	60.9	100.0
Places of 1,000 to 2,500 -----	89	141 849	7.3	11.4	82	129 246	7.4	12.2
2,000 to 2,500 -----	22	48 191	2.5	3.9	19	42 933	2.5	4.0
1,500 to 2,000 -----	20	35 496	1.8	2.9	23	38 868	2.2	3.7
1,000 to 1,500 -----	47	58 162	3.0	4.7	40	47 445	2.7	4.5
Places of less than 1,000 -----	104	56 658	2.9	4.6	104	53 107	3.0	5.0
Other rural -----	...	1 045 818	53.6	84.0	...	880 329	50.5	82.8
<b>URBANIZED AREAS</b>								
Total -----	6	403 378	20.7	100.0	5	398 435	22.8	100.0
Areas of-----								
1,000,000 or more -----	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
500,000 to 1,000,000 -----	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
250,000 to 500,000 -----	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
100,000 to 250,000 -----	3	311 410	16.0	77.2	2	242 679	13.9	60.9
Less than 100,000 -----	3	91 968	4.7	22.8	3	155 756	8.9	39.1

Table 8. Population by Urban and Rural Residence: 1930 to 1980

(Portions of certain cities may be classified as rural; see appendix A for explanation. For meaning of symbols, see Introduction.)

**Size of Place****NUMBER OF PLACES****Urban**

Places of 2,500 or more  
1,000,000 or more  
500,000 to 1,000,000  
250,000 to 500,000  
100,000 to 250,000  
50,000 to 100,000  
25,000 to 50,000  
10,000 to 25,000  
5,000 to 10,000  
2,500 to 5,000  
Places of less than 2,500

	1950			1940			1930	
	1980	1970	1960	Current urban definition	Previous urban definition			
80	63	63	64	54	54	45	39	39
64	53	56	61	54	45	—	—	—
—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
2	2	3	3	3	3	3	3	3
3	5	4	4	4	4	2	2	2
10	8	8	7	6	7	7	5	5
13	12	14	15	15	13	13	12	12
36	26	27	32	26	20	20	17	17
16	10	7	3	...	...	...	...	...

**Rural**

Places of 1,000 to 2,500  
Places of less than 1,000

193	186	196	227	160	162	169
89	82	97	139	71	64	62
104	104	99	88	89	98	107

**Cumulative summary:**

Places of—  
1,000,000 or more  
500,000 or more  
250,000 or more  
100,000 or more  
50,000 or more  
25,000 or more  
10,000 or more  
5,000 or more  
2,500 or more

—	—	—	—	—	—	—
—	—	—	—	—	—	—
—	—	—	—	—	—	—
—	—	—	—	—	—	—
2	2	3	3	3	3	3
5	7	7	7	7	5	5
15	15	15	14	13	12	10
28	27	29	29	28	25	22
64	53	56	61	54	45	39

**POPULATION****Urban**

Places of 2,500 or more  
1,000,000 or more  
500,000 to 1,000,000  
250,000 to 500,000  
100,000 to 250,000  
50,000 to 100,000  
25,000 to 50,000  
10,000 to 25,000  
5,000 to 10,000  
2,500 to 5,000  
Places of less than 2,500  
Other urban

705 319	681 555	711 101	694 487	640 606	534 292	491 504
624 239	626 763	671 963	670 112	640 606	534 292	491 504
—	—	—	—	—	—	—
—	—	—	—	—	—	—
—	—	—	—	—	—	—
—	—	—	—	—	—	—
127 652	145 820	222 823	218 745	218 745	207 849	197 639
110 642	175 051	128 587	116 569	116 569	60 682	58 489
172 992	131 093	136 016	122 795	111 987	112 861	87 952
91 606	83 880	94 260	107 189	107 189	85 755	85 750
121 347	90 919	90 277	104 814	86 116	67 145	61 674
24 773	14 860	8 321	3 286	...	...	...
56 307	39 932	30 817	21 089	...	...	...

**Rural**

Places of 1,000 to 2,500  
Places of less than 1,000  
Other rural

1 244 325	1 062 682	1 149 320	1 311 065	1 364 946	1 367 682	1 237 701
141 849	129 246	146 930	212 863	112 254	102 202	98 609
56 658	53 107	50 803	47 390	48 131	51 655	53 583
1 045 818	880 329	951 587	1 050 812	1 204 561	1 213 825	1 085 509

**PERCENT OF TOTAL POPULATION****Urban**

Places of 2,500 or more  
1,000,000 or more  
500,000 to 1,000,000  
250,000 to 500,000  
100,000 to 250,000  
50,000 to 100,000  
25,000 to 50,000  
10,000 to 25,000  
5,000 to 10,000  
2,500 to 5,000  
Places of less than 2,500  
Other urban

36.2	39.1	38.2	34.6	31.9	28.1	28.4
32.0	35.9	36.1	33.4	31.9	28.1	28.4
—	—	—	—	—	—	—
—	—	—	—	—	—	—
—	—	—	—	—	—	—
6.5	8.4	12.0	10.9	10.9	10.9	11.4
5.7	10.0	6.9	5.8	5.8	3.2	3.4
8.9	7.5	7.3	6.1	5.6	5.9	5.1
4.7	4.8	5.1	5.3	5.3	4.5	5.0
6.2	5.2	4.9	5.2	4.3	3.5	3.6
1.3	0.9	0.4	0.2	...	...	...
2.9	2.3	1.7	1.1	...	...	...

**Rural**

Places of 1,000 to 2,500  
Places of less than 1,000  
Other rural

63.8	60.9	61.8	65.4	68.1	71.9	71.6
7.3	7.4	7.9	10.6	5.6	5.4	5.7
2.9	3.0	2.7	2.4	2.4	2.7	3.1
53.6	50.5	51.1	52.4	60.1	63.8	62.8

Table 9. Population Inside and Outside Standard Metropolitan Statistical Areas (SMSA's) by Urban and Rural Residence: 1980

[Portions of certain cities may be classified as rural; see appendix A for explanation. Place partly outside an SMSA is counted where larger part of population is located; population, however, is tabulated where located. For meaning of symbols, see Introduction.]

The State Inside SMSA's Outside SMSA's	Total population	Inside places										Outside places	
		Total		Incorporated places				Census designated places					
		Number	Population	Total		Central cities of SMSA's		Other		Number	Population		
				Number	Population	Number	Population	Number	Population				
<b>THE STATE</b>													
Total	1 949 644	273	847 519	230	771 969	5	235 425	225	536 544	43	75 550	1 102 125	
Urban	705 319	80	649 012	71	623 937	5	235 425	66	388 512	9	25 075	56 307	
Inside urbanized areas	403 378	32	347 071	29	341 694	5	235 425	24	106 269	3	5 377	56 307	
Central cities	235 425	5	235 425	5	235 425	5	235 425	-	-	-	-	...	
Cities of—													
1,000,000 or more	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	...	
500,000 to 1,000,000	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	...	
250,000 to 500,000	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	...	
100,000 to 250,000	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	...	
50,000 to 100,000	127 652	2	127 652	2	127 652	2	127 652	-	-	-	-	...	
Less than 50,000	107 773	3	107 773	3	107 773	3	107 773	-	-	-	-	...	
Urban fringe	167 953	27	111 646	24	106 269	-	-	24	106 269	3	5 377	56 307	
Places of 2,500 or more	86 873	11	86 873	10	83 762	-	-	10	83 762	1	3 111	56 307	
100,000 or more	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	...	
50,000 to 100,000	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	...	
25,000 to 50,000	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	...	
10,000 to 25,000	52 407	4	52 407	4	52 407	-	-	4	52 407	-	-	...	
5,000 to 10,000	17 359	2	17 359	2	17 359	-	-	2	17 359	-	-	...	
2,500 to 5,000	17 107	5	17 107	4	13 996	-	-	4	13 996	1	3 111	...	
Places of less than 2,500	24 773	16	24 773	14	22 507	-	-	14	22 507	2	2 266	...	
2,000 to 2,500	9 217	4	9 217	4	9 217	-	-	4	9 217	-	-	...	
1,500 to 2,000	5 490	3	5 490	3	5 490	-	-	3	5 490	-	-	...	
1,000 to 1,500	7 392	6	7 392	4	5 126	-	-	4	5 126	2	2 266	...	
Less than 1,000	2 674	3	2 674	3	2 674	-	-	3	2 674	-	-	...	
Other urban	56 307	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	56 307	
Outside urbanized areas	301 941	48	301 941	42	282 243	-	-	42	282 243	6	19 698	...	
Places of—													
25,000 or more	27 605	1	27 605	1	27 605	-	-	1	27 605	-	-	...	
10,000 to 25,000	95 849	5	95 849	5	95 849	-	-	5	95 849	-	-	...	
5,000 to 10,000	74 247	11	74 247	11	74 247	-	-	11	74 247	-	-	...	
2,500 to 5,000	104 240	31	104 240	25	84 542	-	-	25	84 542	6	19 698	...	
Rural	1 244 325	193	198 507	159	148 032	-	-	159	148 032	34	50 475	1 045 818	
Places of 1,000 to 2,500	141 849	89	141 849	55	91 374	-	-	55	91 374	34	50 475	...	
2,000 to 2,500	48 191	22	48 191	16	35 211	-	-	16	35 211	6	12 980	...	
1,500 to 2,000	35 496	20	35 496	12	21 741	-	-	12	21 741	8	13 755	...	
1,000 to 1,500	58 162	47	58 162	27	34 422	-	-	27	34 422	20	23 740	...	
Places of less than 1,000	56 658	104	56 658	104	56 658	-	-	104	56 658	-	-	...	
Other rural	1 045 818	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1 045 818	
<b>INSIDE SMSA's</b>													
Total	722 787	65	406 800	54	384 006	5	235 425	49	148 581	11	22 794	315 987	
Urban	434 182	40	377 875	34	363 255	5	235 425	29	127 830	6	14 620	56 307	
Inside urbanized areas	403 378	32	347 071	29	341 694	5	235 425	24	106 269	3	5 377	56 307	
Central cities	235 425	5	235 425	5	235 425	5	235 425	-	-	-	-	...	
Cities of—													
1,000,000 or more	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	...	
500,000 to 1,000,000	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	...	
250,000 to 500,000	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	...	
100,000 to 250,000	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	...	
50,000 to 100,000	127 652	2	127 652	2	127 652	2	127 652	-	-	-	-	...	
Less than 50,000	107 773	3	107 773	3	107 773	3	107 773	-	-	-	-	...	
Urban fringe	167 953	27	111 646	24	106 269	-	-	24	106 269	3	5 377	56 307	
Places of 2,500 or more	86 873	11	86 873	10	83 762	-	-	10	83 762	1	3 111	56 307	
100,000 or more	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	...	
50,000 to 100,000	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	...	
25,000 to 50,000	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	...	
10,000 to 25,000	52 407	4	52 407	4	52 407	-	-	4	52 407	-	-	...	
5,000 to 10,000	17 359	2	17 359	2	17 359	-	-	2	17 359	-	-	...	
2,500 to 5,000	17 107	5	17 107	4	13 996	-	-	4	13 996	1	3 111	...	
Places of less than 2,500	24 773	16	24 773	14	22 507	-	-	14	22 507	2	2 266	...	
2,000 to 2,500	9 217	4	9 217	4	9 217	-	-	4	9 217	-	-	...	
1,500 to 2,000	5 490	3	5 490	3	5 490	-	-	3	5 490	-	-	...	
1,000 to 1,500	7 392	6	7 392	4	5 126	-	-	4	5 126	2	2 266	...	
Less than 1,000	2 674	3	2 674	3	2 674	-	-	3	2 674	-	-	...	
Other urban	56 307	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	56 307	
Outside urbanized areas	30 804	8	30 804	5	21 561	-	-	5	21 561	3	9 243	...	
Places of—													
25,000 or more	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	...	
10,000 to 25,000	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	...	
5,000 to 10,000	6 569	1	6 569	1	6 569	-	-	1	6 569	-	-	...	
2,500 to 5,000	24 235	7	24 235	4	14 992	-	-	4	14 992	3	9 243	...	
Rural	288 605	25	28 925	20	20 751	-	-	20	20 751	5	8 174	259 680	
Places of 1,000 to 2,500	22 733	15	22 733	10	14 559	-	-	10	14 559	5	8 174	...	
2,000 to 2,500	6 630	3	6 630	1	2 178	-	-	2	2 178	2	4 452	...	
1,500 to 2,000	1 752	1	1 752	1	1 752	-	-	1	1 752	-	-	...	
1,000 to 1,500	14 351	11	14 351	8	10 629	-	-	8	10 629	3	3 722	...	
Places of less than 1,000	6 192	10	6 192	10	6 192	-	-	10	6 192	-	-	...	
Other rural	259 680	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	259 680	

Table 9. Population Inside and Outside Standard Metropolitan Statistical Areas (SMSA's) by Urban and Rural Residence: 1980—Con.

The State Inside SMSA's Outside SMSA's	Total population	inside places										Outside places	
		Total		Incorporated places				Census designated places					
		Number	Population	Total	Number	Population	Number	Population	Number	Population	Number		
<b>OUTSIDE SMSA's</b>													
Total	1 226 857	208	440 719	176	387 963	...	...	176	387 963	32	52 756	786 138	
Urban	271 137	40	271 137	37	260 682	...	...	37	260 682	3	10 455	—	
Inside urbanized areas	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
Central cities	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
Cities of—													
1,000,000 or more	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
500,000 to 1,000,000	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
250,000 to 500,000	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
100,000 to 250,000	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
50,000 to 100,000	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
Less than 50,000	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
Urban fringe	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
Places of 2,500 or more	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
100,000 or more	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
50,000 to 100,000	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
25,000 to 50,000	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
10,000 to 25,000	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
5,000 to 10,000	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
2,500 to 5,000	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
Places of less than 2,500	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
2,000 to 2,500	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
1,500 to 2,000	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
1,000 to 1,500	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
Less than 1,000	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
Other urban	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
Outside urbanized areas	271 137	40	271 137	37	260 682	...	...	37	260 682	3	10 455	—	
Places of—													
25,000 or more	27 605	1	27 605	1	27 605	...	...	1	27 605	—	—	—	
10,000 to 25,000	95 849	5	95 849	5	95 849	...	...	5	95 849	—	—	—	
5,000 to 10,000	67 678	10	67 678	10	67 678	...	...	10	67 678	—	—	—	
2,500 to 5,000	80 005	24	80 005	21	69 550	...	...	21	69 550	3	10 455	—	
Rural	955 720	168	169 582	139	127 281	...	...	139	127 281	29	42 301	786 138	
Places of 1,000 to 2,500	119 116	74	119 116	45	76 815	...	...	45	76 815	29	42 301	—	
2,000 to 2,500	41 561	19	41 561	15	33 033	...	...	15	33 033	4	8 528	—	
1,500 to 2,000	33 744	19	33 744	11	19 989	...	...	11	19 989	8	13 755	—	
1,000 to 1,500	43 811	36	43 811	19	23 793	...	...	19	23 793	17	20 018	—	
Places of less than 1,000	50 466	94	50 466	94	50 466	...	...	94	50 466	—	—	786 138	
Other rural	786 138	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	

Table 10. Population Inside and Outside Standard Metropolitan Statistical Areas (SMSA's) by Size of Place: 1980

[Place partly outside an SMSA is counted where larger part of population is located; population, however, is tabulated where located. For meaning of symbols, see Introduction.]

The State Inside SMSA's Outside SMSA's	Total population	Inside places										Outside places	
		Total		Incorporated places				Census designated places					
		Number	Population	Total	Number	Population	Number	Population	Number	Population	Number		
<b>THE STATE</b>													
Total	1 949 644	273	847 519	230	771 969	5	235 425	225	536 544	43	75 550	1 102 125	
Inside places	847 519	273	847 519	230	771 969	5	235 425	225	536 544	43	75 550	...	
Places of—													
1,000,000 or more	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
500,000 to 1,000,000	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
250,000 to 500,000	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
100,000 to 250,000	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
50,000 to 100,000	127 652	2	127 652	2	127 652	2	127 652	—	—	—	—	—	
25,000 to 50,000	110 642	3	110 642	3	110 642	2	83 037	1	27 605	—	—	—	
10,000 to 25,000	172 992	10	172 992	10	172 992	1	24 736	9	148 256	—	—	—	
5,000 to 10,000	91 606	13	91 606	13	91 606	—	—	13	91 606	—	—	—	
2,500 to 5,000	121 347	36	121 347	29	98 538	—	—	29	98 538	7	22 809	—	
2,000 to 2,500	57 408	26	57 408	20	44 428	—	—	20	44 428	6	12 980	—	
1,500 to 2,000	40 986	23	40 986	15	27 231	—	—	15	27 231	8	13 755	—	
1,000 to 1,500	65 554	53	65 554	31	39 548	—	—	31	39 548	22	26 006	—	
500 to 1,000	45 647	61	45 647	61	45 647	—	—	61	45 647	—	—	—	
200 to 500	12 565	38	12 565	38	12 565	—	—	38	12 565	—	—	—	
Less than 200	1 120	8	1 120	8	1 120	—	—	8	1 120	—	—	—	
Cumulative summary:													
Places of—													
1,000,000 or more	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
500,000 or more	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
250,000 or more	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
100,000 or more	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
50,000 or more	127 652	2	127 652	2	127 652	2	127 652	—	—	—	—	—	
25,000 or more	238 294	5	238 294	5	238 294	4	210 689	1	27 605	—	—	—	
10,000 or more	411 286	15	411 286	15	411 286	5	235 425	10	175 861	—	—	—	
5,000 or more	502 892	28	502 892	28	502 892	5	235 425	23	267 467	—	—	—	
2,500 or more	624 239	64	624 239	57	601 430	5	235 425	52	366 005	7	22 809	—	
2,000 or more	681 647	90	681 647	77	645 858	5	235 425	72	410 433	13	35 789	—	
1,500 or more	722 633	113	722 633	92	673 089	5	235 425	87	437 664	21	49 544	—	
1,000 or more	788 187	166	788 187	123	712 637	5	235 425	118	477 212	43	75 550	—	
500 or more	833 834	227	833 834	184	758 284	5	235 425	179	522 859	43	75 550	—	
200 or more	846 399	265	846 399	222	770 849	5	235 425	217	535 424	43	75 550	—	
Outside places	1 102 125	...	1 102 125	...	1 102 125	...	1 102 125	...	1 102 125	...	1 102 125	1 102 125	
<b>INSIDE SMSA's</b>													
Total	722 787	65	406 800	54	384 006	5	235 425	49	148 581	11	22 794	315 987	
Inside places	406 800	65	406 800	54	384 006	5	235 425	49	148 581	11	22 794	...	
Places of—													
1,000,000 or more	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
500,000 to 1,000,000	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
250,000 to 500,000	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
100,000 to 250,000	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
50,000 to 100,000	127 652	2	127 652	2	127 652	2	127 652	—	—	—	—	—	
25,000 to 50,000	83 037	2	83 037	2	83 037	2	83 037	—	—	—	—	—	
10,000 to 25,000	77 143	5	77 143	5	77 143	1	24 736	4	52 407	—	—	—	
5,000 to 10,000	23 928	3	23 928	3	23 928	—	—	3	23 928	—	—	—	
2,500 to 5,000	41 342	12	41 342	8	28 988	—	—	8	28 988	4	12 354	—	
2,000 to 2,500	15 847	7	15 847	5	11 395	—	—	5	11 395	2	4 452	—	
1,500 to 2,000	7 242	4	7 242	4	7 242	—	—	4	7 242	—	—	—	
1,000 to 1,500	21 743	17	21 743	12	15 755	—	—	12	15 755	5	5 988	—	
500 to 1,000	8 246	11	8 246	11	8 246	—	—	11	8 246	—	—	—	
200 to 500	620	2	620	2	620	—	—	2	620	—	—	—	
Less than 200	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
Cumulative summary:													
Places of—													
1,000,000 or more	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
500,000 or more	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
250,000 or more	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
100,000 or more	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
50,000 or more	127 652	2	127 652	2	127 652	2	127 652	—	—	—	—	—	
25,000 or more	210 689	4	210 689	4	210 689	4	210 689	—	—	—	—	—	
10,000 or more	287 832	9	287 832	5	287 832	5	235 425	4	52 407	—	—	—	
5,000 or more	311 760	12	311 760	12	311 760	5	235 425	7	76 335	—	—	—	
2,500 or more	353 102	24	353 102	20	340 748	5	235 425	15	105 323	4	12 354	—	
2,000 or more	368 949	31	368 949	25	352 143	5	235 425	20	116 718	6	16 806	—	
1,500 or more	375 191	35	376 191	29	359 385	5	235 425	24	123 960	6	16 806	—	
1,000 or more	397 934	52	397 934	41	375 140	5	235 425	36	139 715	11	22 794	—	
500 or more	406 180	63	406 180	52	383 386	5	235 425	47	147 961	11	22 794	—	
200 or more	406 800	65	406 800	54	384 006	5	235 425	49	148 581	11	22 794	—	
Outside places	315 987	...	315 987	...	315 987	...	315 987	...	315 987	...	315 987	315 987	

Table 10. Population Inside and Outside Standard Metropolitan Statistical Areas (SMSA's) by Size of Place: 1980—  
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[Place partly outside an SMSA is counted where larger part of population is located; population, however, is tabulated where located. For meaning of symbols, see Introduction.]

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OUTSIDE SMSA's

Total population	Inside places										Outside places	
	Total		Incorporated places				Census designated places					
	Number	Population	Total	Central cities of SMSA's	Other	Number	Population	Number	Population	Number		
<b>Total</b> -----	<b>1 226 857</b>	<b>208</b>	<b>440 719</b>	<b>176</b>	<b>387 963</b>	<b>...</b>	<b>...</b>	<b>176</b>	<b>387 963</b>	<b>32</b>	<b>52 756</b>	<b>786 138</b>
<b>Inside places</b> -----	<b>440 719</b>	<b>208</b>	<b>440 719</b>	<b>176</b>	<b>387 963</b>	<b>...</b>	<b>...</b>	<b>176</b>	<b>387 963</b>	<b>32</b>	<b>52 756</b>	<b>.</b>
Places of—												
1,000,000 or more -----	—	—	—	—	—	...	...	—	—	—	—	—
500,000 to 1,000,000 -----	—	—	—	—	—	...	...	—	—	—	—	—
250,000 to 500,000 -----	—	—	—	—	—	...	...	—	—	—	—	—
100,000 to 250,000 -----	—	—	—	—	—	...	...	—	—	—	—	—
50,000 to 100,000 -----	—	—	—	—	—	...	...	—	—	—	—	—
25,000 to 50,000 -----	27 605	1	27 605	1	27 605	...	...	1	27 605	—	—	—
10,000 to 25,000 -----	95 849	5	95 849	5	95 849	...	...	5	95 849	—	—	—
5,000 to 10,000 -----	67 678	10	67 678	10	67 678	...	...	10	67 678	—	—	—
2,500 to 5,000 -----	80 005	24	80 005	21	69 550	...	...	21	69 550	3	10 455	—
2,000 to 2,500 -----	41 561	19	41 561	15	33 033	...	...	15	33 033	4	8 528	—
1,500 to 2,000 -----	33 744	19	33 744	11	19 989	...	...	11	19 989	8	13 755	—
1,000 to 1,500 -----	43 811	36	43 811	19	23 793	...	...	19	23 793	17	20 018	—
500 to 1,000 -----	37 401	50	37 401	50	37 401	...	...	50	37 401	—	—	—
200 to 500 -----	11 945	36	11 945	36	11 945	...	...	36	11 945	—	—	—
Less than 200 -----	1 120	8	1 120	8	1 120	...	...	8	1 120	—	—	—
Cumulative summary:												
Places of—												
1,000,000 or more -----	—	—	—	—	—	...	...	—	—	—	—	—
500,000 or more -----	—	—	—	—	—	...	...	—	—	—	—	—
250,000 or more -----	—	—	—	—	—	...	...	—	—	—	—	—
100,000 or more -----	—	—	—	—	—	...	...	—	—	—	—	—
50,000 or more -----	—	—	—	—	—	...	...	—	—	—	—	—
25,000 or more -----	27 605	1	27 605	1	27 605	...	...	1	27 605	—	—	—
10,000 or more -----	123 454	6	123 454	6	123 454	...	...	6	123 454	—	—	—
5,000 or more -----	191 132	16	191 132	16	191 132	...	...	16	191 132	—	—	—
2,500 or more -----	271 137	40	271 137	37	260 682	...	...	37	260 682	3	10 455	—
2,000 or more -----	312 698	59	312 698	52	293 715	...	...	52	293 715	7	18 983	—
1,500 or more -----	346 442	78	346 442	63	313 704	...	...	63	313 704	15	32 738	—
1,000 or more -----	390 253	114	390 253	82	337 497	...	...	82	337 497	32	52 756	—
500 or more -----	427 654	164	427 654	132	374 898	...	...	132	374 898	32	52 756	—
200 or more -----	439 599	200	439 599	168	386 843	...	...	168	386 843	32	52 756	—
Outside places -----	<b>786 138</b>	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	<b>786 138</b>

Table 11. Population of Standard Metropolitan Statistical Areas (SMSA's): 1960 to 1980

[SMSA's as defined for the 1980 census. Counts relate to component parts as defined at each census. For meaning of symbols, see Introduction.]

**Component Parts**

**CHARLESTON, W. VA.**

	1980	1970	1960
The area	269 595	257 140	276 486
Charleston city	63 968	71 505	85 796
Outside central city	205 627	185 635	190 690

Kanawha County	231 414	229 515	252 925
Putnam County	38 181	27 625	23 561

**CUMBERLAND, MD.-W. VA.**

The area	107 782	107 153	106 523
Cumberland city	25 933	29 724	33 415
Outside central city	81 849	77 429	73 108

That part of the area in Maryland	80 548	84 044	84 169
Allegany County	80 548	84 044	84 169

That part of the area in West Virginia	27 234	23 109	22 354
Mineral County	27 234	23 109	22 354

**HUNTINGTON-ASHLAND, W. VA.-KY.-OHIO**

The area	311 350	286 935	284 018
Inside central cities	90 748	103 560	114 910
Ashland city	27 064	29 245	31 283
Huntington city	63 684	74 315	83 627

Outside central cities	220 602	183 375	169 108
That part of the area in Kentucky	94 645	85 568	81 401

Boyd County	55 513	52 376	52 163
Greenup County	39 132	33 192	29 238

That part of the area in Ohio	63 849	56 868	55 438
Lawrence County	63 849	56 868	55 438

That part of the area in West Virginia	152 856	144 499	147 179
Cabell County	106 835	106 918	108 202

Wayne County	46 021	37 581	38 977
PARKERSBURG-MARIETTA, W. VA.-OHIO			

The area	162 836	148 132	134 411
Inside central cities	56 434	61 069	61 644
Marietta city	16 467	16 861	16 847
Parkersburg city	39 967	44 208	44 797
Outside central cities	106 402	87 063	72 767

That part of the area in Ohio	64 266	57 160	51 689
Washington County	64 266	57 160	51 689

That part of the area in West Virginia	98 570	90 972	82 722
Wirt County	4 922	4 154	4 391

Wood County	93 648	86 818	78 331
STEUBENVILLE-WEIRTON, OHIO-W. VA.			

The area	163 099	166 385	167 756
Inside central cities	51 136	57 902	60 696
Steubenville city	26 400	30 771	32 495
Weirton city	24 736	27 131	28 201
Outside central cities	111 963	108 483	107 060

That part of the area in Ohio	91 564	96 193	99 201
Jefferson County	91 564	96 193	99 201

That part of the area in West Virginia	71 535	70 192	68 555
Brooke County	31 117	30 443	28 940

Hancock County	40 418	39 749	39 615
WHEELING, W. VA.-OHIO			

The area	185 566	181 954	190 342
Wheeling city	43 070	48 188	53 400
Outside central city	142 496	133 766	136 942

That part of the area in Ohio	82 569	80 917	83 864
Belmont County	82 569	80 917	83 864

That part of the area in West Virginia	102 997	101 037	106 478
Marshall County	41 608	37 598	38 041

Ohio County	61 389	63 439	68 437
50-24 WEST VIRGINIA			

Table 12. Population of Standard Metropolitan Statistical Areas (SMSA's) by Type of Residence: 1980

[Counts relate to areas as defined for the 1980 census. For meaning of symbols, see Introduction.]

SMSA's

SMSA's	Total		Urban						Rural				
	Number	Per-cent	Total	Inside urbanized areas			Outside urbanized areas		Places of 1,000 to 2,500			Places of less than 1,000	
				Total	Central cities of—		Urban fringe	Central cities of SMSA's					
					SMSA's and urbanized areas	Urbanized areas only		Other urban	Other urban	Other urban	Other rural	Other rural	
The State -----	1 949 644	100.0	705 319	403 378	235 425	-	167 953	-	301 941	1 244 325	141 849	56 658	1 045 818
Inside SMSA's -----	722 787	37.1	434 182	403 378	235 425	-	167 953	-	30 804	288 605	22 733	6 192	259 680
Charleston, W Va -----	269 595	13.8	161 297	153 618	63 968	-	89 650	-	7 679	108 298	8 414	2 311	97 573
Cumberland, Md-W Va -----	27 234	1.4	9 829	3 260	-	-	3 260	-	6 569	17 405	2 696	291	14 418
Huntington-Ashland, W Va-Ky-Ohio -----	152 856	7.8	88 861	86 197	63 684	-	22 513	-	2 664	63 995	3 673	886	59 436
Parkersburg-Marietta, W Va-Ohio -----	98 570	5.1	62 620	55 988	39 967	-	16 021	-	6 632	35 950	1 356	856	33 738
Steubenville-Weirton, Ohio-W Va -----	71 535	3.7	39 980	32 720	24 736	-	7 984	-	7 260	31 555	5 120	507	25 928
Wheeling, W Va-Ohio -----	102 997	5.3	71 595	71 595	43 070	-	28 525	-	-	31 402	1 474	1 341	28 587
Outside SMSA's -----	1 226 857	62.9	271 137	-	-	-	-	-	271 137	955 720	119 116	50 466	786 138

Table 13. Population of Urbanized Areas: 1980 and 1970

[Counts relate to areas as defined at each census. For meaning of symbols, see Introduction]

**Component Parts**

**CHARLESTON, W. VA.**

The area	
Charleston city	153 618
Outside central city	63 968
Kanawha County (pt)	89 650
District 1 (pt)	151 451
Belle town	17 518
Cedar Grove town	1 621
Chesapeake town	1 479
East Bank town	2 364
Glasgow town	1 155
Marmet town	1 031
District 2 (pt)	2 196
Charleston city (pt)	33 040
South Charleston city (pt)	25 080
District 3 (pt)	7 768
Nitro city (pt)	40 854
St. Albans city	6 733
South Charleston city (pt)	12 402
District 4 (pt)	8 200
Dunbar city	21 151
District 5	9 285
Charleston city (pt)	38 888
Putnam County (pt)	38 888
Pocatello district (pt)	2 167
Nitro city (pt)	2 167
Charleston city (pt)	1 341

**CUMBERLAND, MD.-W. VA.**

The area	
Cumberland city	59 331
Outside central city	25 933
That part of the area in Maryland	33 398
Allegany County (pt)	56 071
District 4, Canal (pt)	56 071
Cumberland city (pt)	11 155
District 5, Wills Creek (pt)	11 155
Cumberland city (pt)	4 185
District 6, Potomac River (pt)	3 550
Cresaptown (CDP) (pt)	7 905
Cumberland city (pt)	83
Potomac Park-Bowling Green (CDP)	5 463
District 7, Rawlings (pt)	2 275
Cresaptown (CDP) (pt)	4 436
District 11, Frostburg (pt)	4 436
Frostburg city (pt)	781
District 12, East Frostburg (pt)	566
Eckhart Mines (CDP) (pt)	3 328
Frostburg city (pt)	13
District 13, Mount Savage (pt)	2 712
Mount Savage (CDP) (pt)	1 762
District 14, Central	1 600
Cumberland city (pt)	421
District 17, Vale Summit (pt)	421
District 20, Ellerslie (pt)	12
Corriganville (CDP)	1 728
La Vale-Narrows Park (CDP) (pt)	1 020
District 21, Gross (pt)	58
District 22, Union (pt)	2
Cumberland city (pt)	2 178
District 23, Decatur	2 178
Bedford Road (CDP) (pt)	2 792
Cumberland city (pt)	31
District 24, Eckhart (pt)	2 761
Eckhart Mines (CDP) (pt)	1 644
Frostburg city (pt)	1 320
District 26, Frostburg (pt)	303
Frostburg city (pt)	3 005
District 28, Frostburg	2 754
Frostburg city (pt)	1 949
District 29, La Vale (pt)	1 380
Cresaptown (CDP) (pt)	6 593
Cumberland city (pt)	126
La Vale-Narrows Park (CDP) (pt)	313
District 30, Zihlman (pt)	5 465
Mount Savage (CDP) (pt)	387
District 34, Bedford Road (pt)	40
Bedford Road (CDP) (pt)	1 756
Cumberland city (pt)	1 716
District 35, East Cumberland (pt)	40
Cumberland city (pt)	52
That part of the area in West Virginia	52
Mineral County (pt)	3 260
Frankfort district (pt)	3 260
Maryland Junction (CDP)	3 260
Ridgeley town	1 042
Wiley Ford (CDP)	994
Inside central cities	1 224

**HUNTINGTON-ASHLAND, W. VA.-KY.-OHIO**

The area	
Inside central cities	179 840
Ashland city	90 748
Huntington city	27 064
Outside central cities	63 684
	89 092

**Component Parts**

**HUNTINGTON-ASHLAND, W. VA.-KY.-OHIO—Con**

	1980	1970	1980	1970
That part of the area in Kentucky			60 290	53 316
Boyd County (pt)	41 548	37 853	33 356	...
Ashland division (pt)	26 913	29 245	5 973	...
Ashland city (pt)	3 654	...	1 51	...
Westwood (CDP)	1 533	...	1 533	...
Ashland Rural division (pt)	3 005	3 420	3 005	3 420
Ashland city (pt)	1 699	1 364	18 742	15 463
Greenup County (pt)	16 942	14 279	908	...
Bellfonte city	8 354	7 380	1 970	1 857
Flatwoods city	1 800	1 184	3 824	1 982
Raceland city	249	...	1 294	...
Russell city	1 294	...	1 699	1 364
Worthington city (pt)	7	...	7	...
Wurland city (pt)	1 294	...	1 294	...
That part of the area in Ohio			33 353	29 250
Lawrence County (pt)	33 353	29 250	5 529	3 885
Fayette township (pt)	2 642	1 146	1 386	1 526
South Point village	353	278	1 033	1 248
Hamilton township (pt)	1 386	1 526	2 345	1 490
Hanging Rock village	16	41	1 276	1 097
Ironton city (pt)	3 774	1 561	3 814	3 840
Perry township (pt)	4 357	4 172	15 671	18 808
Union township (pt)	1 370	1 364	15 671	18 808
Chesapeake village	975	881	13 257	13 782
Proctorville village	15 962	16 616	15 962	16 616
Upper township (pt)	2 586	2 718	7 597	6 305
Cool Grove village (pt)	13 257	13 782	3 814	3 840
Ironton city (pt)	13 257	13 782	15 671	18 808
That part of the area in West Virginia			86 197	85 017
Cabell County (pt)	72 245	71 693	9 777	468
Barboursville district (pt)	2 871	...	3 200	46 112
Barboursville village	39 200	46 112	39 200	46 112
Gideon district (pt)	7 597	6 305	7 597	6 305
Huntington city (pt)	3 814	3 840	146	...
Guyondotte district (pt)	15 671	18 808	4 999	5 555
Huntington city (pt)	15 671	18 808	5 466	5 464
Wayne County (pt)	13 952	13 324	55 988	57 821
Ceredo district (pt)	6 977	7 055	55 988	57 821
Ceredo city (pt)	2 109	1 583	1 952	1 655
Kenova city	4 454	4 860	1 503	1 655
Westmoreland district (pt)	6 975	6 269	34 851	38 086
Ceredo city (pt)	146	...	220	...
Huntington city (pt)	4 999	5 555	26 468	30 950
That part of the area in West Virginia			6 152	5 903
Wood County (pt)	55 988	57 821	12 818	12 434
Lubec district (pt)	55 988	57 821	11 996	11 603
Parkersburg city (pt)	1 952	1 655	6 367	5 646
Parkersburg district (pt)	1 503	1 655	720	...
North Hills town (pt)	34 851	38 086	Venno city (pt)	5 466
Parkersburg city (pt)	220	...	5 466	5 464
Venno city (pt)	26 468	30 950	5 466	5 464
Tygart district (pt)	6 152	5 903	6 367	5 646
Parkersburg city (pt)	12 818	12 434	7 20	...
Williams district (pt)	11 996	11 603	Venno city (pt)	5 466
North Hills town (pt)	6 367	5 646	5 466	5 464
Venno city (pt)	720	...	5 466	5 464
The area			7 193	7 189
Parkersburg city	63 181	65 010	7 193	7 189
Outside central city	39 967	44 208	7 193	7 189
That part of the area in Ohio			7 193	7 189
Washington County (pt)	23 214	20 802	7 193	7 189
Belpre city	7 193	7 189	7 193	7 189
That part of the area in West Virginia			55 988	57 821
Wood County (pt)	55 988	57 821	1 952	1 655
Lubec district (pt)	55 988	57 821	1 503	1 655
Parkersburg city (pt)	1 952	1 655	34 851	38 086
Parkersburg district (pt)	1 503	1 655	220	...
North Hills town (pt)	34 851	38 086	26 468	30 950
Parkersburg city (pt)	220	...	6 367	5 646
Venno city (pt)	26 468	30 950	11 996	11 603
Tygart district (pt)	6 367	5 646	7 20	...
Parkersburg city (pt)	12 818	12 434	Venno city (pt)	5 466
Williams district (pt)	11 996	11 603	5 466	5 464
North Hills town (pt)	6 367	5 646	5 466	5 464
Venno city (pt)	7 20	...	5 466	5 464
That part of the area in Ohio			44 459	48 262
Jefferson County (pt)	44 459	48 262	7 039	6 490
Cross Creek township (pt)	44 459	48 262	3 636	...
Brentwood (CDP)	7 039	6 490	3 403	3 499
Wintersville village (pt)	3 636	...	3 521	2 900
Island Creek township (pt)	3 403	3 499	1 321	1 422
Wintersville village (pt)	3 521	2 900	26 400	30 771
Steubenville city	26 400	30 771	5 642	5 923
Steubenville township (pt)	24 736	27 131	4 834	5 278
Mingo Junction city	24 736	27 131	1 857	2 178
Wells township (pt)	24 736	27 131	1 751	2 178
Brilliant village	24 736	27 131	26 400	30 771
That part of the area in West Virginia			5 642	5 923
Mineral County (pt)	5 642	5 923	4 834	5 278
Frankfort district (pt)	5 642	5 923	1 857	2 178
Maryland Junction (CDP)	5 642	5 923	1 751	2 178
Ridgeley town	5 642	5 923	26 400	30 771
Wiley Ford (CDP)	5 642	5 923	4 834	5 278
Inside central cities	51 136	57 902	1 857	2 178
Steubenville city	26 400	30 771	5 642	5 923
Wentton city	24 736	27 131	4 834	5 278
Outside central cities	26 515	22 990	1 857	2 178
That part of the area in Ohio			44 459	48 262
Jefferson County (pt)	44 459	48 262	7 039	6 490
Cross Creek township (pt)	44 459	48 262	3 636	...
Brentwood (CDP)	7 039	6 490	3 403	3 499
Wintersville village (pt)	3 636	...	3 521	2 900
Island Creek township (pt)	3 403	3 499	1 321	1 422
Wintersville village (pt)	3 521	2 900	26 400	30 771
Steubenville city	26 400	30 771	5 642	5 923
Steubenville township (pt)	24 736	27 131	4 834	5 278
Mingo Junction city	24 736	27 131	1 857	2 178
Wells township (pt)	24 736	27 131	1 751	2 178
Brilliant village	24 736	27 131	26 400	30 771
NUMBER OF INHABITANTS				

Table 13. Population of Urbanized Areas: 1980 and 1970—Con.

[Counts relate to areas as defined at each census. For meaning of symbols, see Introduction]

**Component Parts****STEUBENVILLE-WEIRTON, OHIO-W. VA.-PA.—Con**

	1980	1970
That part of the area in Pennsylvania	472	...
Washington County (pt.)	472	...
Hanover township (pt.)	472	...
That part of the area in West Virginia	32 720	32 630
Brooke County (pt.)	11 864	10 180
Cross Creek district (pt.)	3 165	...
Follansbee city (pt.)	—	(NA)
Hooverston Heights (COP) (pt.)	3 111	...
Follansbee district (pt.)	4 258	...
Follansbee city (pt.)	3 994	(NA)
Hooverston Heights (COP) (pt.)	—	...
Weirton district (pt.)	4 441	...
Weirton city (pt.)	4 176	4 681
Hancock County (pt.)	20 856	22 450
Butler district (pt.)	15 724	...
Weirton city (pt.)	15 723	(NA)
Clay district (pt.)	5 132	...
Weirton city (pt.)	4 837	(NA)
<b>WHEELING, W. VA.—OHIO</b>		
The area	101 049	92 845
Wheeling city	43 070	46 188
Outside central city	57 979	44 657
That part of the area in Ohio	29 454	32 239
Belmont County (pt.)	29 454	32 239
Colerain township (pt.)	752	322
Mead township (pt.)	4 469	5 030
Shadyside city (pt.)	4 270	5 030
Peece township (pt.)	15 597	16 837
Bridgeport village	2 642	3 001
Brookside village	887	939
Martins Ferry city	9 331	10 757
Wolfhurst (COP)	1 622	...
Pulney township (pt.)	8 636	10 050
Bellmore city	8 241	9 655
Shadyside city (pt.)	45	40
That part of the area in West Virginia	71 595	60 606
Marshall County (pt.)	21 564	5 545
District 1 (pt.)	5 888	...
Benwood city	1 994	2 737
McMechen city	2 402	2 808
Wheeling city (pt.)	196	...
District 2	12 419	...
Moundsville city	12 419	...
District 3 (pt.)	3 257	...
Glen Dale city	1 875	...
Ohio County (pt.)	50 031	55 061
Liberty Triadelphia district (pt.)	8 370	...
Triadelphia town (pt.)	1 254	(NA)
Wheeling city (pt.)	6 182	(NA)
Madison Union Clay Washington district	10 307	...
Wheeling city (pt.)	10 307	(NA)
Richland Washington district (pt.)	10 508	...
Cleareview village	740	512
Wheeling city (pt.)	9 552	(NA)
Ritchie Webster Center district	10 011	...
Bethlehem village	2 677	2 461
Wheeling city (pt.)	6 205	(NA)
Triadelphia district (pt.)	10 835	...
Triadelphia town (pt.)	207	(NA)
Wheeling city (pt.)	10 628	(NA)

NOTE. The 1970 population figures for the components of some urbanized areas may not add to the urbanized area or county totals because of changes in the boundaries of some county subdivisions since 1970.

The Parkersburg, W. Va.—Ohio Urbanized Area was delineated in 1974. 1970 counts for this area are shown in the tables of this report but are not reflected in other 1980 census products.

# County Subdivision Map Legend and County Location Index

## MAP SECTIONS



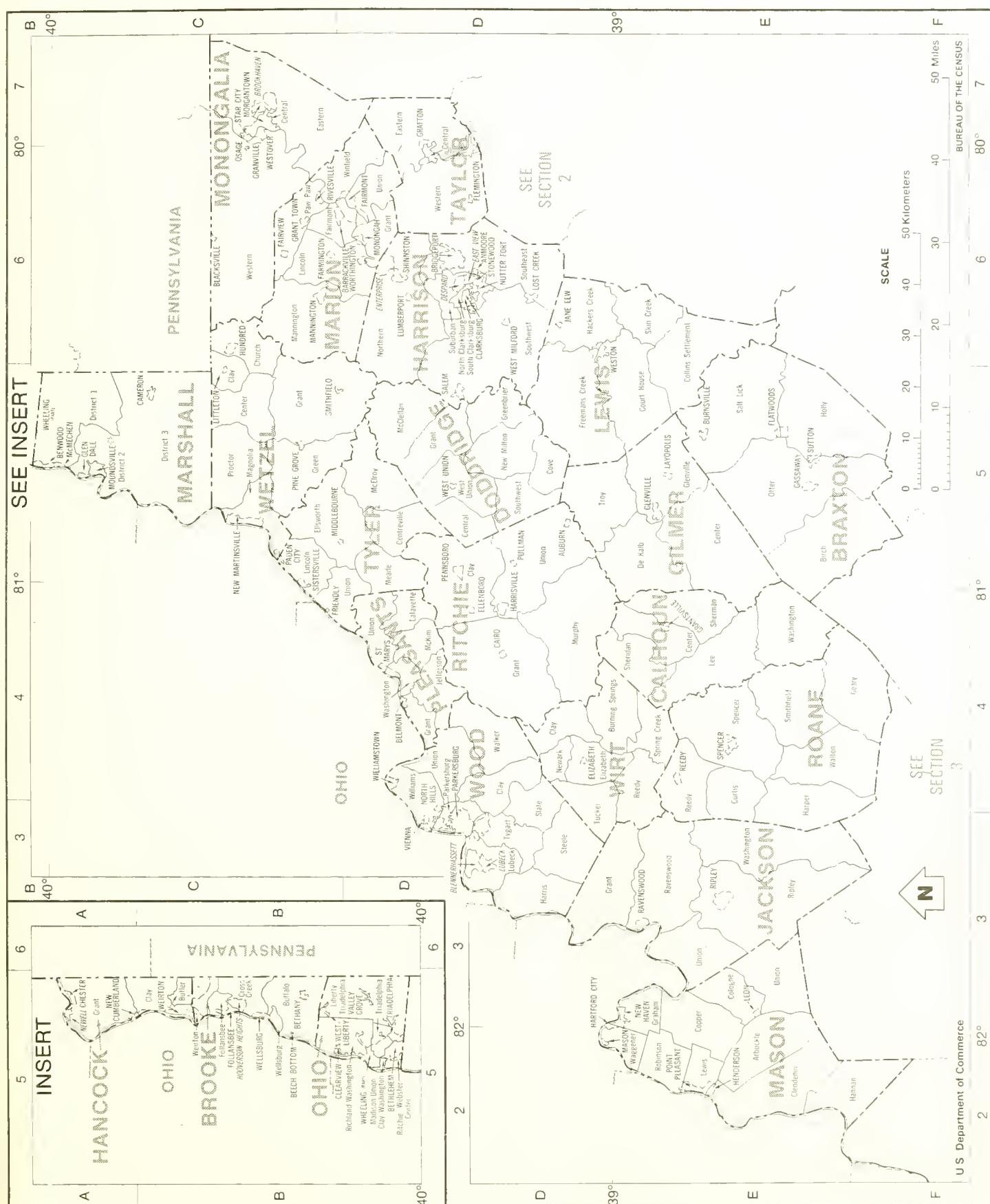
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-----	CANADA	Foreign country
-----	FLORIDA	State
-----	LEE	County
-----	Brent	County subdivision
-----	MIAMI	Incorporated place
-----	STAPLETON	Census designated place
~~~~~	Lake Wingra	Major water feature
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## COUNTY LOCATION INDEX

This list presents the reference coordinates for each county on the map on page 3 and on the county subdivision map. Map section numbers refer to the county subdivision map only.

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Jefferson.....	2	D-11	Taylor.....	1	D-6			
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Lewis.....	1	D-5	Tyler.....	1	D-5			
Lincoln.....	3	F-2	Upshur.....	2	E-6			
Logan.....	3	G-3	Wayne.....	3	F-2			
McDowell.....	3	H-3	Webster.....	3	E-6			
Marion.....	1	C-6	Wetzel.....	1	C-5			
Marshall.....	1	C-5	Wirt.....	1	D-4			
Mason.....	1	E-2	Wood.....	1	D-4			

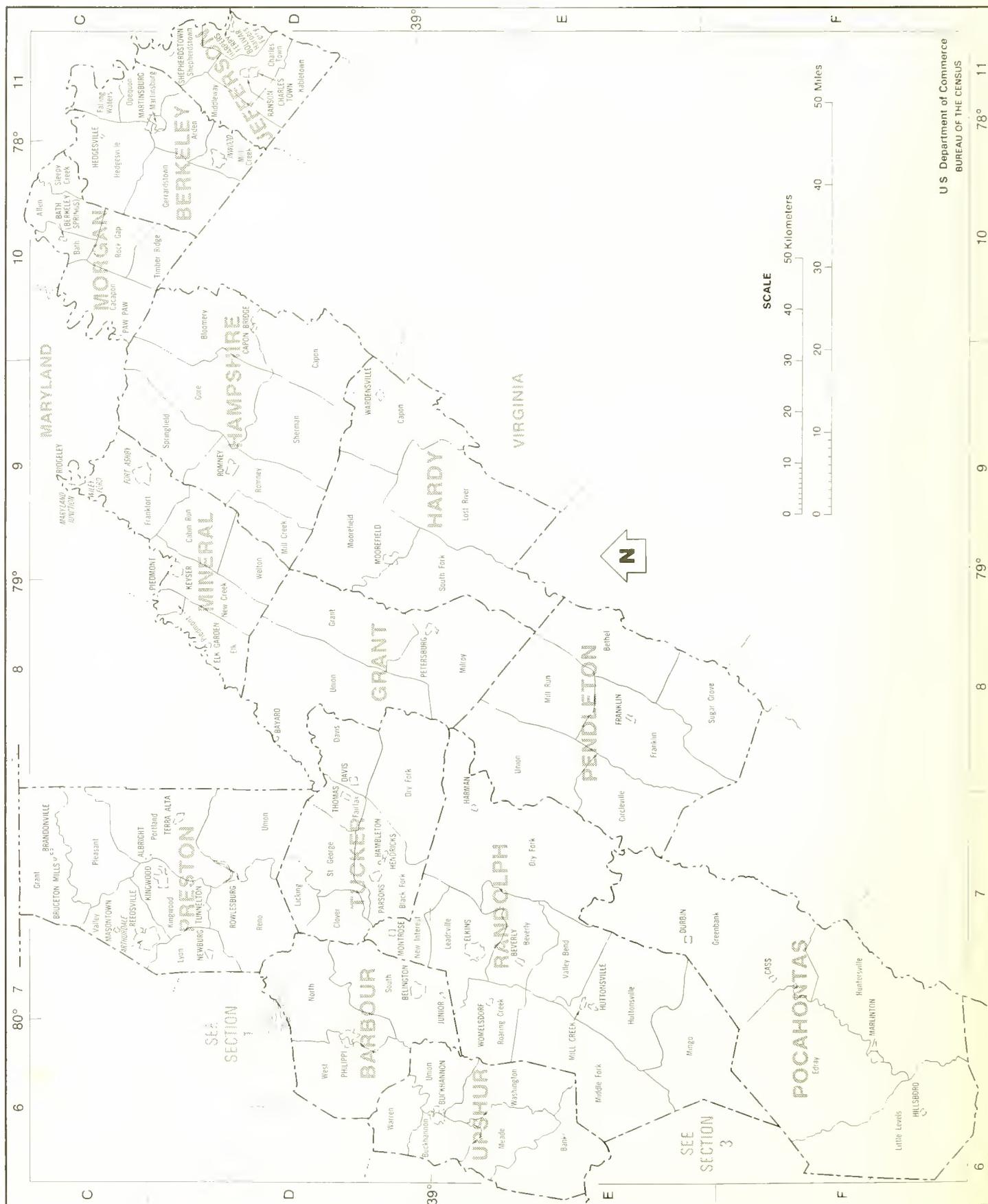
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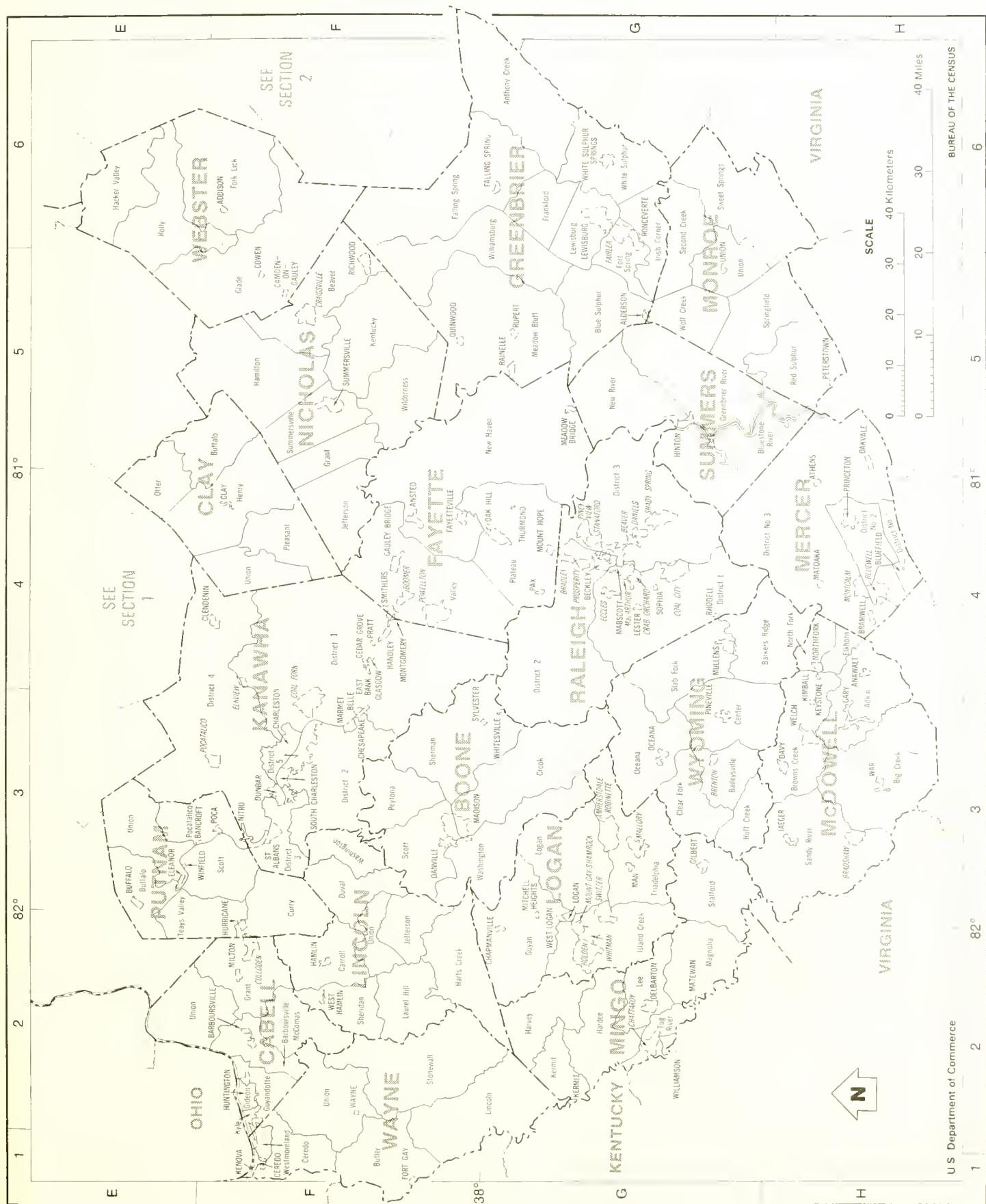
**NUMBER OF INHABITANTS**

WEST VIRGINIA 50-29

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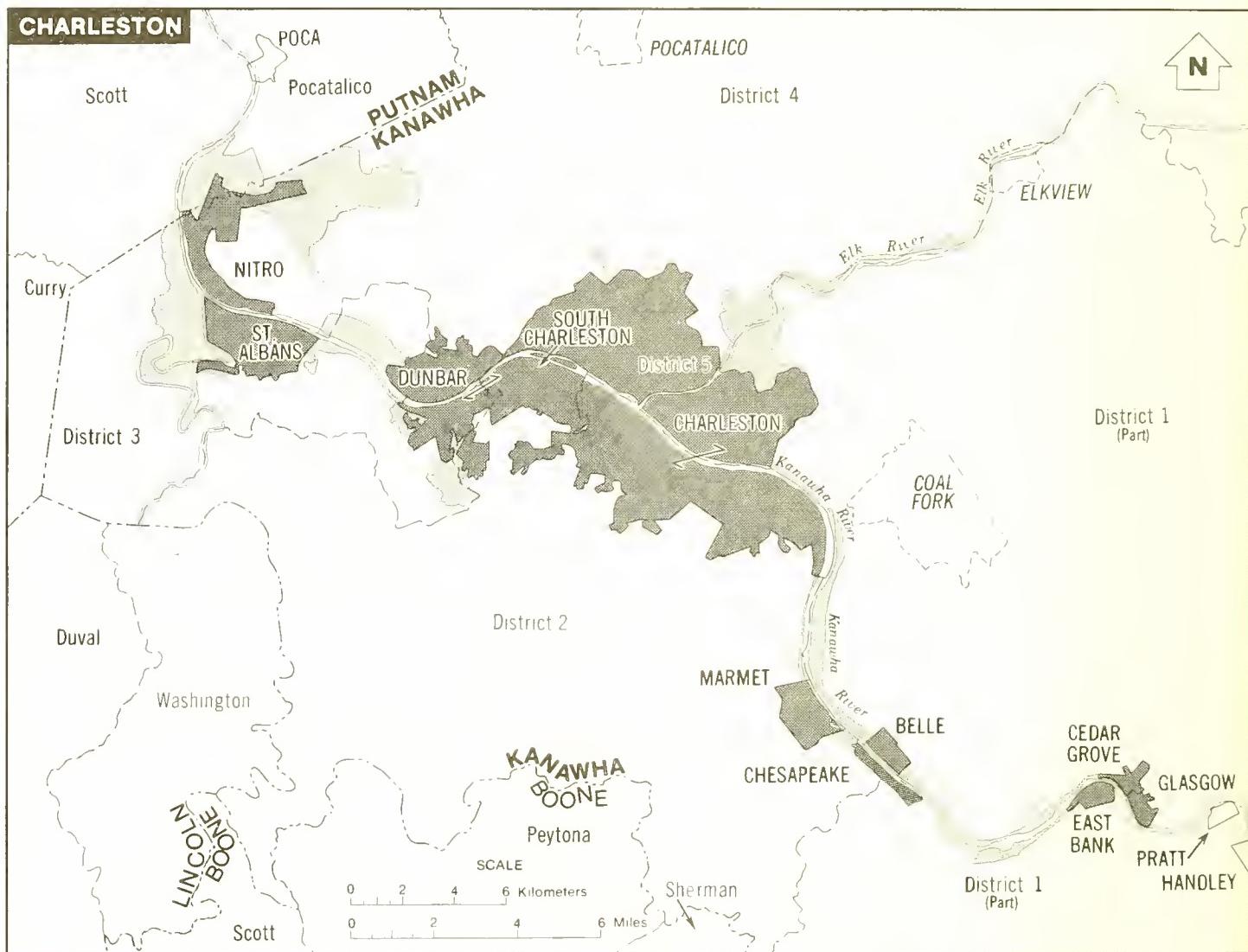
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**NUMBER OF INHABITANTS**

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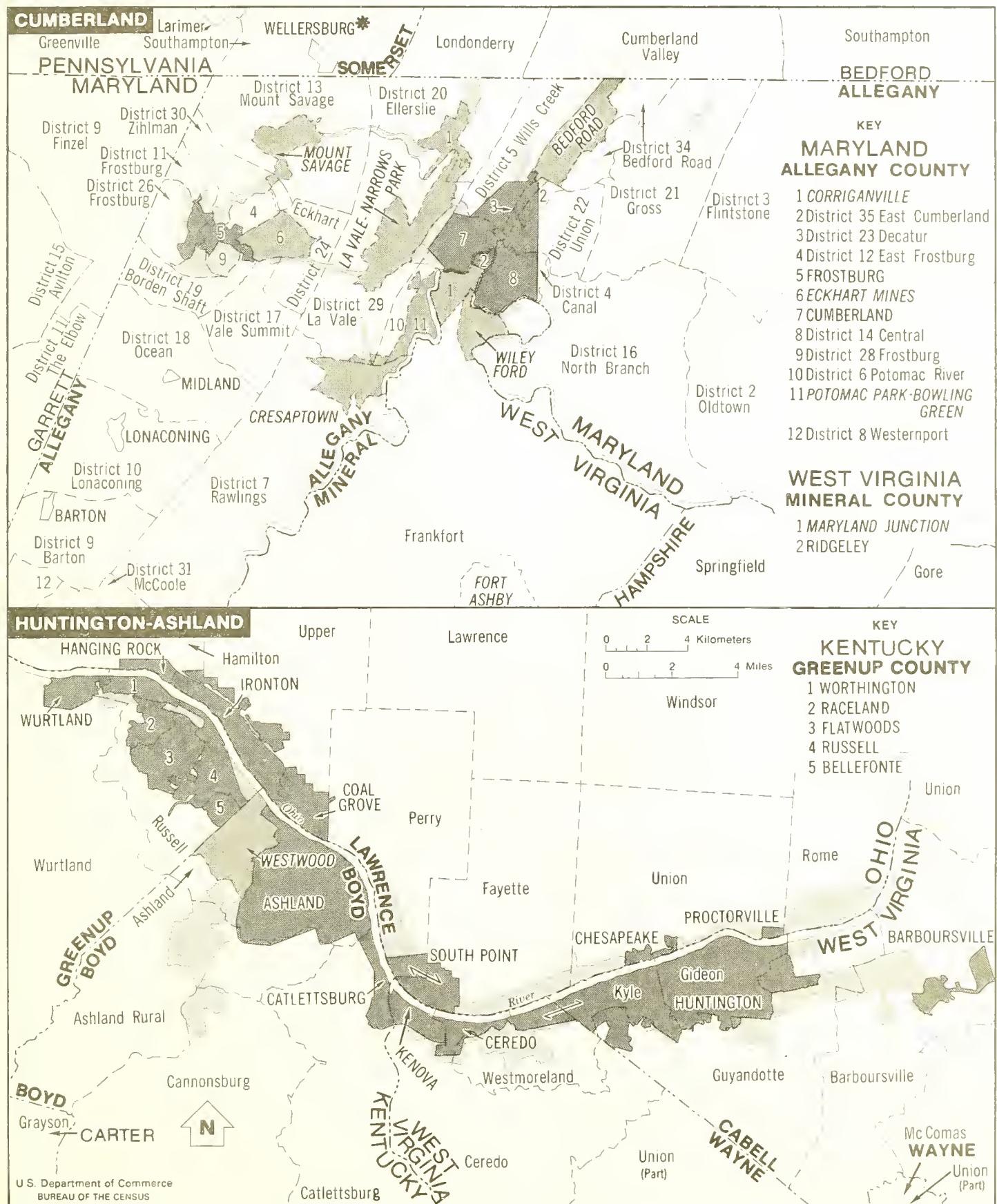
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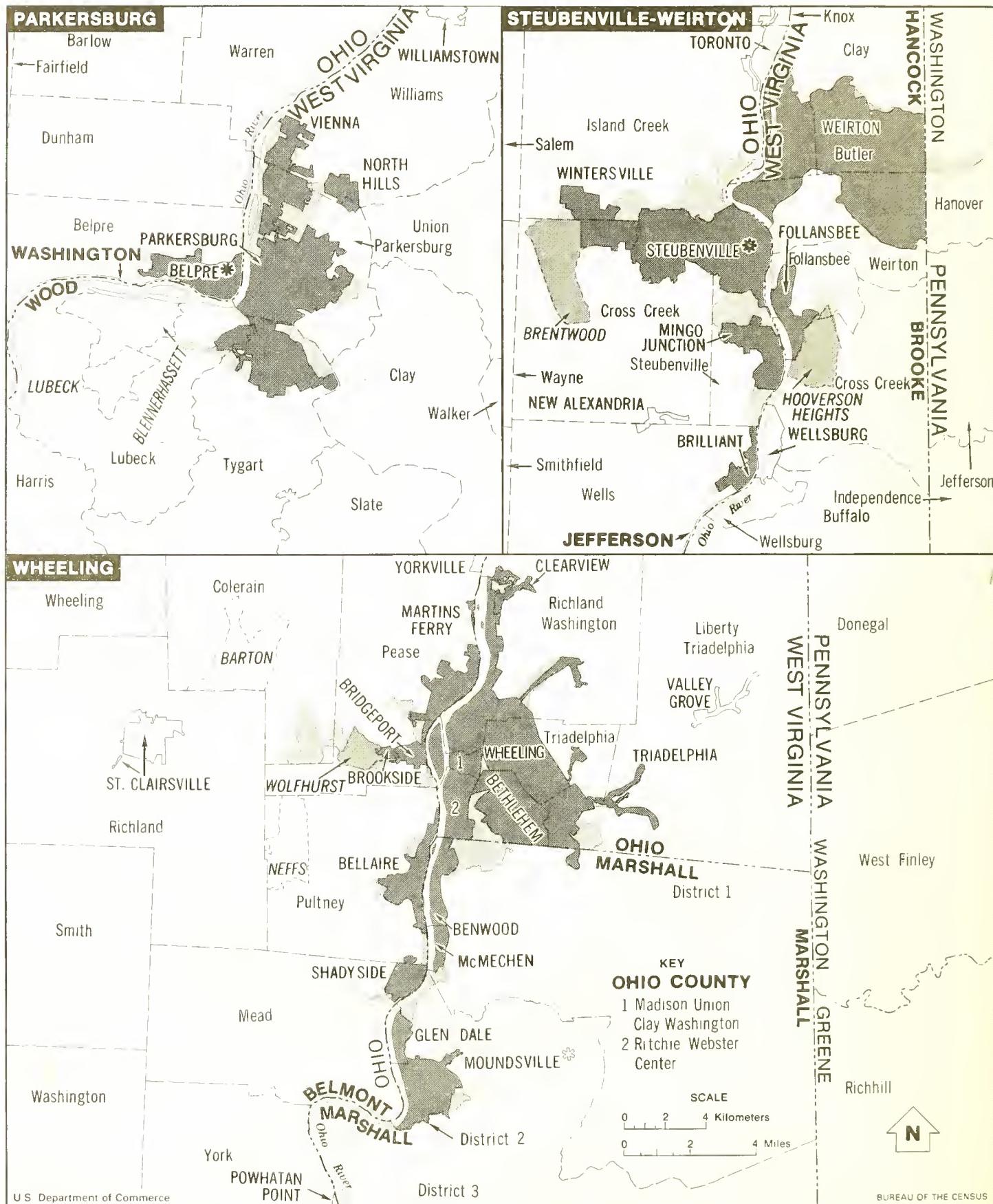
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SYMBOLS	TYPE STYLES	GEOGRAPHIC AREAS	SYMBOLS	GEOGRAPHIC AREAS
---	MEXICO	Foreign country	*	Open six-spoked asterisk following place name indicates the place is coextensive with a county subdivision. The county subdivision name is shown only when it differs from that of the place
—	IOWA	State	*	Solid eight-spoked asterisk following an incorporated place name indicates the place is treated as a county subdivision for census purposes
—	DANE	Subject SMSA county		COMPONENTS OF URBANIZED LAND AREA
—	POWER	County not part of subject SMSA		Incorporated place
—	Locust	County subdivision		Census designated place
—	SILAS	Incorporated place		Other area
—	PERDIDO	Census designated place		
—	Pyramit	American Indian reservation		
—	Lake Winona	Major water feature		
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# Urbanized Areas



## Urbanized Areas



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### STATES

The 50 States and the District of Columbia are the constituent units of the United States.

### COUNTIES

In most States, the primary divisions are termed counties. In Louisiana, these divisions are known as parishes. In Alaska, which has no counties, the county equivalents are the organized boroughs together with the "census areas" which were developed for general statistical purposes by the State of Alaska and the Census Bureau. In four States (Maryland,

Missouri, Nevada, and Virginia), there are one or more cities which are independent of any county organization and thus constitute primary divisions of their States. That part of Yellowstone National Park in Montana is treated as a county equivalent. The District of Columbia has no primary divisions, and the entire area is considered equivalent to a county for census purposes.

### COUNTY SUBDIVISIONS

Statistics for subdivisions of counties or equivalent areas are presented as follows:

1. Minor civil divisions (MCD's) in 29 States: Arkansas, Connecticut, Illinois, Indiana, Iowa, Kansas, Louisiana, Maine, Maryland, Massachusetts, Michigan, Minnesota, Mississippi, Missouri, Nebraska, Nevada, New Hampshire, New Jersey, New York, North Carolina, North Dakota, Ohio, Pennsylvania, Rhode Island, South Dakota, Vermont, Virginia, West Virginia, and Wisconsin. (In 1970, the county subdivisions recognized for North Dakota were census county divisions.)

MCD's are primary divisions of counties established under State law. These MCD's are variously designated as townships, towns, precincts, districts, wards, plantations, Indian reservations, grants, purchases, gores, locations, or areas. In some States, all incorporated places are also MCD's in their own right. In other States, incorporated places are subordinate to or part of the MCD(s) in which they are located, or the pattern is mixed—some incorporated places are independent MCD's and others are subordinate to one or more MCD's.

For 11 States (Connecticut, Maine, Massachusetts, Michigan, New Hampshire, New Jersey, New York, Pennsyl-

vania, Rhode Island, Vermont, and Wisconsin), table 5a presents counts for towns and townships.

In 8 States (Arkansas, Iowa, Kansas, Maine, Minnesota, North Carolina, North Dakota, and South Dakota), certain counties contain territory not included in an MCD recognized by the Census Bureau. Each separate area of unorganized territory in these States is recognized as one or more subdivisions and given a name by the Bureau; the name is followed by the designation "(unorg.)."

2. Census county divisions (CCD's) in 20 States: Alabama, Arizona, California, Colorado, Delaware, Florida, Georgia, Hawaii, Idaho, Kentucky, Montana, New Mexico, Oklahoma, Oregon, South Carolina, Tennessee, Texas, Utah, Washington, and Wyoming.

CCD's are geographic areas which have been defined by the Census Bureau in cooperation with State and county officials for the purpose of presenting statistical data. CCD's have been defined in States where there are no legally established MCD's, where the boundaries of MCD's change frequently, and/or where the MCD's are not generally known to the public. Using published guidelines, the CCD's have usually been designed to represent community areas focused on trading centers, or to represent major land use areas, and to have visible, permanent, and easily described boundaries.

3. Census subareas in Alaska. For the 1980 census, census subareas have been delineated cooperatively by the Census Bureau and the State of Alaska for statistical purposes. These areas replace the subdivisions used for the 1970 census.

4. Quadrants in the District of Columbia.

## PLACES

Two types of places are recognized in the census reports—incorporated places and census designated places—as defined below.

### Incorporated Places

Incorporated places recognized in the reports of the census are those which are incorporated under the laws of their respective States as cities, boroughs, towns, and villages, with the following exceptions: boroughs in Alaska and New York, and towns in the six New England States, New York, and Wisconsin. The towns in the New England States, New York, and Wisconsin, and the boroughs in New York are recognized as MCD's for census purposes; the boroughs in Alaska are county equivalents.

Some incorporated places include narrow strips of land (frequently only the rights-of-way of streets) which typically have no population or housing units. These areas, termed "corporate corridors," are generally not shown on the maps or in the tables of 1980 census reports. The existence of these areas is indicated in the footnotes to table 4.

In Connecticut, a unique situation exists in which one incorporated place (Woodmont borough) is subordinate to another (Milford city). The city of Milford is coextensive with the town of Milford. In the tables for the Connecticut report in this series and other series of 1980 census reports, data shown for Milford city exclude those for Woodmont borough, and the user must therefore refer to data for Milford town (which include those for the borough) for data for Milford city.

### Census Designated Places

As in the 1950, 1960, and 1970 censuses, the Census Bureau has delineated boundaries for closely settled population centers without corporate limits. In 1980, the name of each such place is followed by "(CDP)," meaning "census designated place." In the 1970 and earlier censuses, these places were identified by "(U)," meaning "unincorporated place." To be recognized for the 1980 census, CDP's must have a minimum 1980 population as follows:

Area	Minimum CDP population
Alaska . . . . .	25
Hawaii . . . . .	300
All other States:	
Inside urbanized areas:	
With one or more cities of 50,000 or more . . . . .	5,000
With no city of 50,000 or more . . . . .	1,000
Outside urbanized areas . . . . .	1,000

Hawaii is the only State with no incorporated places recognized by the Bureau of the Census. All places shown for Hawaii in the 1980 census reports are CDP's. Honolulu CDP essentially represents the Honolulu Judicial District. The city of Honolulu, coextensive with the county of Honolulu, is not recognized for census purposes.

Census designated place boundaries change with changes in the settlement pattern; a place which has the same name as in previous censuses does not necessarily have the same boundaries. Boundary outlines for CDP's appear on the county subdivision map which follows the detailed tables. Detailed maps are available for purchase from the Census Bureau.

## URBAN AND RURAL RESIDENCE

As defined for the 1980 census, the urban population comprises all persons living in urbanized areas and in places of 2,500 or more inhabitants outside urbanized areas. More specifically, the urban population consists of all persons living in (1) places of 2,500 or more inhabitants incorporated as cities, villages, boroughs (except in Alaska and New York), and towns (except in the New England States, New York, and Wisconsin), but excluding those persons living in the rural portions of extended cities; (2) census designated places of 2,500 or more inhabitants; and (3) other territory, incorporated or unincorporated, included in urbanized areas. The population not classified as urban constitutes the rural population.

In censuses prior to 1950, the urban population comprised all persons living in incorporated places of 2,500 or more inhabitants and areas (usually minor civil

divisions) classified as urban under special rules relating to population size and density. A definition of urban population restricted to incorporated places having 2,500 or more inhabitants excludes a number of large and densely settled areas merely because they are not incorporated. Prior to 1950, an effort was made to avoid some of the more obvious omissions by inclusion of selected areas which were classified as urban under special rules. Even with these rules, however, the inhabitants of many large and closely built-up areas were excluded from the urban population.

To improve its measure of the urban population, the Bureau of the Census in 1950 adopted the concept of the urbanized area and delineated boundaries for unincorporated places. For the 1950 census, the urban population was defined as all persons residing in urbanized areas and, outside these areas, in all places, incorporated or unincorporated, which had 2,500 or more inhabitants. With the following three exceptions, the 1950 definition of urban has continued substantially unchanged. First, in 1960 (but not in 1970 or 1980), certain towns in the New England States, townships in New Jersey and Pennsylvania, and Arlington County, Va., were designated as urban. However, most of the residents of these "special rule" areas would have been classified as urban in any event because they were residents of an urbanized area or an unincorporated place of 2,500 or more. Second, "extended cities" were identified in 1970 and 1980. Their recognition has, in general, had very little impact on the urban and rural population figures. Third, changes since 1970 in the criteria for defining central cities have permitted urbanized areas to be defined around smaller centers.

## Extended Cities

Since 1960 there has been an increasing trend toward the extension of city boundaries to include territory essentially rural in character. The classification of all the inhabitants of such cities as urban would include in the urban population persons whose environment is primarily rural in character. For the 1970 and 1980 censuses, in order to separate these people from those residing in the closely settled portions of such cities, the Bureau of the Census classified as rural a portion

or portions of each such city that was located in an urbanized area. To be treated as an extended city, a city must contain one or more areas that are each at least 5 square miles in extent and have a population density of less than 100 persons per square mile. The area or areas must constitute at least 25 percent of the land area of the legal city or include at least 25 square miles. These areas are excluded from the urbanized area.

Those cities designated as extended cities thus consist of an urban part and a rural part. In table 5, the population figure for the urban part is shown separately under the total population for the entire city. Only the urban part is considered to be the central city of an urbanized area. However, the term "central city" as used for SMSA's refers to the entire population within the legal boundaries of the city.

### "Current" and "Previous" Urban and Rural Definitions

In the tables showing historical data by urban and rural residence, the "current" figures refer to the urban definition used in 1950, 1960, 1970, and 1980 (inside urbanized areas and, outside urbanized areas, in places of 2,500 or more inhabitants). The "previous" figures presented in this report have been adjusted to constitute a substantially consistent series based on incorporated places of 2,500 or more inhabitants with additional areas defined as urban under special rules in censuses prior to 1950.

## URBANIZED AREAS

### Definition

The major objective of the Census Bureau in delineating urbanized areas is to provide a better separation of urban and rural population in the vicinity of large cities. An urbanized area consists of a central city or cities, and surrounding closely settled territory ("urban fringe").

The following criteria are used in determining the eligibility and definition of the 1980 urbanized areas:<sup>1</sup>

An urbanized area comprises an

incorporated place<sup>2</sup> and adjacent densely settled surrounding area that together have a minimum population of 50,000.<sup>3</sup> The densely settled surrounding area consists of:

1. Contiguous incorporated or census designated places having:
  - a. A population of 2,500 or more; or,
  - b. A population of fewer than 2,500 but having a population density of 1,000 persons per square mile, a closely settled area containing a minimum of 50 percent of the population, or a cluster of at least 100 housing units.
2. Contiguous unincorporated area which is connected by road and has a population density of at least 1,000 persons per square mile.<sup>4</sup>
3. Other contiguous unincorporated area with a density of less than 1,000 persons per square mile, provided that it:
  - a. Eliminates an enclave of less than 5 square miles which is surrounded by built-up area.
  - b. Closes an indentation in the boundary of the densely settled area that is no more than 1 mile across the open end and encompasses no more than 5 square miles.
  - c. Links an outlying area of qualifying density, provided that the outlying area is:
    - (1) Connected by road to, and is not more than 1½ miles from, the main body of the urbanized area.
    - (2) Separated from the main body of the urbanized area by water or other undevelopable area, is connected by road to the main body of the urbanized area, and is not more than 5 miles

<sup>2</sup>In Hawaii, incorporated places do not exist in the sense of functioning local governmental units. Instead, census designated places are used in defining a central city and for applying urbanized area criteria.

<sup>3</sup>The rural portions of extended cities, as defined in the Census Bureau's extended city criteria, are excluded from the urbanized area. In addition, for an urbanized area to be recognized, it must include a population of at least 25,000 that does not reside on a military base.

<sup>4</sup>Any area of extensive nonresidential urban land use, such as railroad yards, airports, factories, parks, golf courses, and cemeteries, is excluded in computing the population density.

from the main body of the urbanized area.

4. Large concentrations of nonresidential urban area (such as industrial parks, office areas, and major airports), which have at least one-quarter of their boundary contiguous to an urbanized area.

### Urbanized Area Titles

1. The titles of urbanized areas existing prior to the 1980 Census of Population and Housing are retained unchanged except for mergers and for those areas meeting items 4 and/or 5 of the titling criteria.
2. The titles of new urbanized areas qualifying as the result of the 1980 census are determined as follows:
  - a. The name of the incorporated place with the largest population in the urbanized area is always listed.
  - b. The names of up to two additional incorporated places may be listed, with eligibility determined as follows:
    - (1) Those with a population of at least 250,000.
    - (2) Those with a population of 15,000 to 250,000, provided that they are at least one-third the population of the largest place in the urbanized area.
3. Area titles that include the names of more than one incorporated place start with the name of the largest and list the others in descending order of their population.
4. In addition to incorporated place names, the titles contain the name of each State into which the urbanized area extends.
5. Regional titles may be used to identify urbanized areas with populations over 1 million, in which case only the largest city of the urbanized area is included in the title.

### Urbanized Area Central Cities

The central cities of urbanized areas are those named in the titles except where regional titles are used. In such cases, the central cities are those that have qualified under items 1 or 2 of the titling criteria.

<sup>1</sup>All references to population counts and densities relate to data from the 1980 census.

Counts and data for central cities of urbanized areas refer to the urban portion of these cities, thus excluding the rural portions of extended cities, as discussed above.

### STANDARD METROPOLITAN STATISTICAL AREAS

#### Definition

The general concept of a metropolitan area is one of a large population nucleus, together with adjacent communities which have a high degree of economic and social integration with that nucleus. The standard metropolitan statistical area (SMSA) classification is a statistical standard, developed for use by Federal agencies in the production, analysis, and publication of data on metropolitan areas. The SMSA's are designated and defined by the Office of Management and Budget, following a set of official published standards developed by the interagency Federal Committee on Standard Metropolitan Statistical Areas.

Each SMSA has one or more central counties containing the area's main population concentration: an urbanized area with at least 50,000 inhabitants. An SMSA may also include outlying counties which have close economic and social relationships with the central counties. The outlying counties must have a specified level of commuting to the central counties and must also meet certain standards regarding metropolitan character, such as population density, urban population, and population growth. In New England, SMSA's are composed of cities and towns rather than whole counties.

The population living in SMSA's may also be referred to as the metropolitan population. The population is subdivided into "inside central city (or cities)" and "outside central city (or cities)." The population living outside SMSA's constitutes the nonmetropolitan population.

#### SMSA Titles

Most SMSA's have at least one central city. The titles of SMSA's include up to three city names, as well as the name of each State into which the SMSA extends. For the 1980 census, central cities of

SMSA's are those named in the titles of the SMSA's, with the exception of Nassau-Suffolk, N.Y., which has no central city, and Northeast Pennsylvania, the central cities of which are Scranton, Wilkes-Barre, and Hazleton. Data on central cities of SMSA's include the entire population within the legal city boundaries. In Hawaii, where there are no incorporated places recognized by the Bureau of the Census, census designated places are recognized as central cities.

#### New SMSA Standards

New standards for designating and defining metropolitan statistical areas were published in the *Federal Register* on January 3, 1980. The SMSA's recognized for the 1980 census comprise (1) all areas as defined on January 1, 1980, except for one area which was defined provisionally during the 1970's on the basis of population estimates but whose qualification was not confirmed by 1980 census counts; and (2) a group of 36 new areas defined on the basis of 1980 census counts and the new standards that were published on January 3, 1980.

The new standards will not be applied to the areas existing on January 1, 1980, until after data on commuting flows become available from 1980 census tabulations. At that time, the boundaries, definitions, and titles for all SMSA's will be reviewed.

To aid users who want to become familiar with the SMSA standards and how they are applied, documents are available from the Office of Management and Budget, Washington, D.C. 20503.

### STANDARD CONSOLIDATED STATISTICAL AREAS

In some parts of the country, metropolitan development has progressed to the point that adjoining SMSA's are themselves socially and economically interrelated. These areas are designated standard consolidated statistical areas (SCSA's) by the Office of Management and Budget, and are defined using standards included as part of the new SMSA standards described above.

### RELATIONSHIP BETWEEN URBANIZED AREAS AND METROPOLITAN AREAS

Although the urbanized area and the metropolitan area are closely related in concept, there are important differences. The urbanized area has a more limited territorial extent. The urbanized area consists of the physically continuously built-up territory around each larger city and thus corresponds generally to the core of high and medium population density at the heart of the metropolitan area. In concept, a metropolitan area is always larger than its core urbanized area, even if the metropolitan area is defined in terms of small building blocks, because it includes discontinuous urban and suburban development beyond the periphery of the continuously built-up area. The metropolitan area may also include some rural territory whose residents commute to work in the city or its immediate environs, while the urbanized area does not include such territory. In practice, because the SMSA definitions use counties as building blocks, considerable amounts of rural territory with few commuters are often included. However, even in New England, where cities and towns are used as building blocks, SMSA's are generally much larger in extent than their core urbanized areas.

It sometimes occurs, because of boundary anomalies, that a portion of the urbanized area extends across the SMSA boundary into a nonmetropolitan county or another SMSA. However, such portions are usually quite small in area and population.

The new standards provide that each SMSA be associated with an urbanized area. However, the reverse is not true—there are some urbanized areas that are not in any SMSA. This situation occurs when an urbanized area does not qualify as an SMSA of at least 100,000 population (75,000 in New England), and the urbanized area has no city with at least 50,000 population.

In addition, some SMSA's contain more than one urbanized area. This occurs when—

1. Two or more urban concentrations not far apart and of generally similar size have separate urbanized areas but qualify as a single SMSA (for example, Greensboro, High Point, and Winston-Salem, North Carolina). Often the

SMSA title includes the name of the largest city of each of the component urbanized areas.

2. A very large SMSA includes one or more smaller separate urbanized areas within its boundaries. Examples are the separate urbanized areas around Joliet, Aurora, and Elgin within the Chicago SMSA.

### BOUNDARY CHANGES

The boundaries of some of the areas shown in this report have changed between an earlier census for which counts are shown and January 1, 1980. The historic counts shown here for counties, county subdivisions, places, and urbanized areas have not been adjusted for such changes and thus reflect the population in the areas as defined at each census. The historic counts for SMSA's and SCSA's have been adjusted to reflect the areas defined as of the 1980 census. Information on boundary changes for counties, county subdivisions, and incorporated places is presented in table 4. For information on boundary changes prior to 1970, see the *Number of Inhabitants* report for each census.

### AREA MEASUREMENTS

Area measurement figures for counties and county equivalent areas in the 1980 census were prepared using a process called digitizing. This process involved first verifying and highlighting the county boundaries recognized for the 1980 census on copies of the topographic quadrangle maps produced by the U.S. Geological Survey and relocating those boundaries where necessary. An electronically assisted digitizing device was

then used to trace over each county line and to calculate the latitude/longitude values associated with each line. From the latitude/longitude information associated with each county, the total area of the county in square miles was computed. The total area figure derived for each county was subsequently reviewed against similar information from the 1960 and 1970 censuses and other sources, with significant variations in area being rechecked and adjudicated.

Following this review, the total area of the county was apportioned between land and water. No direct measurements were made to determine these values separately; instead, information from which the final figures were compiled was gathered from several other Federal and State agencies. The boundary between inland and other water was part of the original digitizing process and was treated as though it were a county boundary line. After all operations, a mathematical conversion was performed to convert all values from square miles to square kilometers.

Differences between 1980 area figures and those reported in previous censuses are attributable to changes in base map scale and detail, methodology for measurement, and occasionally to county boundary change or relocation.

### HISTORIC COUNTS

As in past censuses, the general rule for presenting historic figures for States, counties, county subdivisions, and places is to present counts only for single, continually existing entities. Stated another way, if an area existed at both the current and previous censuses, a count is shown for the previous census. Included in this category are areas which are of the same type (county, county

subdivision, or place) which have retained the same name or have changed their name. Also included are places which have merged and retained the name of one of the merged areas.

In cases where entities have been formed since the earlier censuses, such as a newly incorporated place or a newly organized township, the symbol three dots "..." is shown for the earlier census. The three-dot symbol is also shown for those parts of a place which have extended into a new county or county subdivision through annexation or other expansion of boundaries.

In a few cases, changes in the boundaries of county subdivisions have been made so as to split a place into two or more parts. Historic counts for the parts of the place as currently split may not always be available. In these cases, "(NA)" is shown for the place by county subdivision; however, the total population of the place is shown in tables showing the place by State or county.

For most places incorporated since 1970, or for census county divisions with altered boundaries, 1970 population counts for the 1980 territory are stated in the footnotes to table 4.

In a number of tables in this report, 1970 counts are shown for aggregations of individual areas such as the number and population of places by size groups or urban and rural distributions. In some instances, population counts for individual areas have been revised since publication of the 1970 census reports (indicated by the prefix "r" as described in the section "Symbols and Geographic Abbreviations" in the Introduction). These revisions have not been carried through to the various aggregations; therefore, it may not be possible to determine the individual areas in a given aggregation using the 1970 population counts shown here.



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### USUAL PLACE OF RESIDENCE

In accordance with census practice dating back to the first U.S. census in 1790, each person enumerated in the 1980 census was counted as an inhabitant of his or her "usual place of residence," which is generally construed to mean the place where the person lives and sleeps most of the time. This place is not necessarily the same as the person's legal residence or voting residence. In the vast majority of cases, however, the use of these different bases of classification would produce substantially the same statistics, although there might be appreciable differences for a few areas.

The implementation of this practice has resulted in the establishment of residence rules for certain categories of persons whose usual place of residence is not immediately apparent. Furthermore, this practice means that persons were not always counted as residents of the place where they happened to be staying on Census Day (April 1). Persons without a usual place of residence, however, were counted where they happened to be staying.

#### Armed Forces

Members of the Armed Forces living on a military installation were counted,

as in every previous census, as residents of the area in which the installation was located; members of the Armed Forces not living on a military installation were counted as residents of the area in which they were living. Persons in families with Armed Forces personnel were counted where they were living on Census Day (i.e., the military installation or "off base," as the case might be).

Each Navy ship was attributed to the municipality that the Department of the Navy designated as its homeport, except for those ships which were deployed to the 6th or 7th Fleet on Census Day. As was done in the 1970 census, naval personnel aboard deployed ships were defined in the 1980 census as part of the overseas population, because deployment to the 6th or 7th Fleet implies a long-term overseas assignment. In homeports with fewer than 1,000 naval personnel assigned to ships, the crews were counted aboard the ship. In homeports with 1,000 or more naval personnel assigned to ships, the naval personnel who indicated that they had a usual residence within 50 miles of the homeport of their ship were attributed to that residence. When a homeport designated by the Navy was contained in more than one municipality, ships homeported and berthed there on Census Day were assigned by the Bureau to the municipality in which the land immediately adjacent to the dock or pier was actually located. Other ships attributed by the Navy to that homeport, but which were not physically present and not deployed to the 6th or 7th Fleet on Census Day, were allocated to the municipality named on the Navy's homeport list.

#### Crews of Merchant Vessels

Shipboard Census Reports were mailed to crews of merchant vessels through the

ships' respective owner-operators based on lists of U.S. flag merchant vessels obtained from the Maritime Administration, U.S. Department of Commerce.

If the ship was berthed in a U.S. port on Census Day, the crew was enumerated as of that port. If the ship was not berthed in a U.S. port but was inside the territorial waters of the United States, the crew was enumerated as of (a) the port of destination if that port was inside the United States or (b) the homeport of the ship if its port of destination was outside the United States. Crews of U.S. flag vessels which were outside U.S. territorial waters on Census Day and crews of vessels flying a foreign flag were not enumerated in the 1980 census.

#### Persons Away at School

College students were counted as residents of the area in which they were living while attending college, as they have been since 1950. However, children in boarding schools below the college level were counted at their parental home.

#### Persons in Institutions

Inmates of institutions, who ordinarily live there for considerable periods of time, were counted as residents of the area where the institution was located. Patients in short-term wards of general hospitals were counted at their usual place of residence; if they had no usual place of residence, they were counted at the hospital.

#### Persons Away From Their Residence on Census Day

Persons in hotels, motels, etc., on the night of March 31, 1980, were requested to fill out a census form for assignment of their census information back to their

homes if they indicated that no one was at home to report them in the census. A similar approach was used for persons visiting in private residences, as well as for Americans who left the United States during March 1980 via major intercontinental air or ship carriers for temporary travel abroad. In addition, information on persons away from their usual place of residence was obtained from other members of their families, resident managers, neighbors, etc. If an entire household was expected to be away during the whole period of the enumeration, information on that household was obtained from neighbors. A matching process was used to eliminate duplicate reports for persons who reported for themselves while away from their usual residence and who were also reported at this usual residence by someone else.

A special enumeration was conducted in such facilities as missions, flophouses, jails, detention centers, etc., on the night of April 6, 1980, and persons enumerated therein were counted as residents of the area in which the establishment was located.

### Americans Abroad

Americans who were overseas for an extended period (in the Armed Forces, working at civilian jobs, studying in foreign universities, etc.) were not included in the population of any State or the District of Columbia. On the other hand, Americans who were temporarily abroad on vacations, business trips, and the like were counted at their usual residence in the United States.

### Citizens of Foreign Countries

Citizens of foreign countries having their usual residence (legally or illegally) in the United States on Census Day, including those working here (but not living at an embassy, ministry, legation, chancellery, or consulate) and those attending school (but not living at an embassy, etc.), were included in the enumeration, as were members of their families living with them. However, citizens of foreign countries temporarily visiting or traveling in the United States or living on the premises of an embassy,

etc., were not enumerated in the 1980 census.

## DATA COLLECTION PROCEDURES

The 1980 census was conducted primarily through self-enumeration. A census questionnaire was delivered by postal carriers to every household several days before Census Day, April 1, 1980. This questionnaire included explanatory information and was accompanied by an instruction guide. Spanish-language versions of the questionnaire and instruction guide were available on request. The questionnaire was also available in narrative translation in 32 languages.

In most areas of the United States, altogether containing about 95 percent of the population, the householder was requested to fill out and mail back the questionnaire on Census Day. Approximately 83 percent of these households returned their forms by mail. Households that did not mail back a form were visited by an enumerator. Households that returned a form with incomplete or inconsistent information that exceeded a specified tolerance were contacted by telephone or, if necessary, by a personal visit, to obtain the information.

In the remaining (mostly sparsely settled) areas of the country, which contained about 5 percent of the population, the household received a questionnaire in the mail. The householder was requested to fill out the questionnaire and give it to the enumerator when he or she visited the household; incomplete and unfilled forms were completed by interview during the enumerator's visit.

Each household in the country received one of two versions of the census questionnaire: a short-form questionnaire containing a limited number of basic population and housing questions or a long-form questionnaire containing these basic questions as well as a number of additional questions. A sampling procedure was used to determine those households which were to receive the long-form questionnaire. Two sampling rates were employed. For most of the country, one in every six households (about 17 percent) received the long form or sample questionnaire; in areas

estimated to have fewer than 2,500 inhabitants, every other household (50 percent) received the sample questionnaire to enhance the reliability of sample data in small areas.

Special questionnaires were used for the enumeration of persons in group quarters such as colleges and universities, hospitals, prisons, military installations, and ships. These forms contained the same population questions that appeared on either the short form or the long form but did not include any housing questions. In addition to the regular census questionnaires, the Supplementary Questionnaire for American Indians was used in conjunction with the short form on Federal and State reservations and in the historic areas of Oklahoma (excluding urbanized areas) for households that had at least one American Indian, Eskimo, or Aleut household member.

## PROCESSING PROCEDURES

The 1980 census questionnaires were processed in a manner similar to that for the 1970 and 1960 censuses. They were designed to be processed electronically by the Film Optical Sensing Device for Input to Computer (FOSDIC). For most items on the questionnaire, the information supplied by the respondent or obtained by the enumerator was indicated by marking the answers in predesignated positions that would be "read" by FOSDIC from a microfilm copy of the questionnaire and transferred onto computer tape with no intervening manual processing. The computer tape excluded information on individual names and addresses.

The tape containing the information from the questionnaires was processed on the Census Bureau's computers through a number of editing and tabulation steps. Among the products of this operation were computer tapes from which the tables in this report (and most others in the 1980 census publications) were prepared on phototypesetting equipment at the Government Printing Office.

A more detailed description of the data collection and processing procedures can be obtained from the *1980 Census of Population and Housing, Users' Guide*, PHC80-R1.

## Appendix C.—Accuracy of the Data

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Since 1980 population counts shown in this report were tabulated from the entries for persons on all questionnaires, these counts are not subject to sampling error. In any large-scale statistical operation such as a decennial census, human and mechanical errors occur. These errors are commonly referred to as nonsampling errors. Such errors include failure to enumerate every household or person in the population, not obtaining all required information from respondents, obtaining incorrect or inconsistent information, and recording information incorrectly. Errors can also occur during the field review of the enumerators' work, the clerical handling of the census questionnaires, or the electronic proc-

essing of the questionnaires.

In an attempt to reduce various types of nonsampling error in the 1980 census, a number of techniques were introduced on the basis of experience in previous censuses and in tests conducted prior to the census. These quality control and review measures were utilized throughout the data collection and processing phases of the census to minimize undercoverage of the population and housing units and to keep the errors at a minimum. As was done after the 1950, 1960, and 1970 censuses, there were programs after the 1980 census to measure various aspects of the quality achieved in the 1980 census. Reports on many aspects of the 1980 census evaluation program will be

published as soon as the appropriate data are accumulated and analyzed.

A major component of the evaluation work is to ascertain, insofar as possible, the degree of completeness of the count of persons and housing units. The Census Bureau has estimated that the 1970 census did not count 2.5 percent of the population. For 1980, the Census Bureau's extensive evaluation program will encompass a number of different approaches to the task of estimating the coverage of the census. Although these studies have not been completed at the time of publication of this report, preliminary estimates indicate that the rate of undercoverage in the 1980 census was reduced from 1970 census levels.





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